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Farm Product Exports Expand 12 Percent In October-August 1977/78 (see p. 5). More than \$25 billion in agricultural commodities were exported during the first 11 months of fiscal year 1977/78. Increased values from year-earlier levels included wheat, corn, oilseeds, cotton, tobacco, rice, fruits, and edible nuts. Export quantities gained 18 percent to 116 million tons. Agricultural exports exceeded imports by \$12.2 billion, up sharply from \$9.9 billion in the October-August 1976/77 period.

U.S. Agricultural Imports Rise 3 Percent During First 11 Months Of Fiscal 1978 (see p. 37). During the first 11 months of fiscal 1978, U.S. farm imports of \$12.8 billion were 3 percent higher than a year ago. Value gains in imports of cocoa beans, cocoa powder, bananas, chocolate preparations, live animals, hides and skins, dairy products, meat and products, fruits, vegetables, tobacco, wine, malt beverages, and cut flowers more than offset substantial value declines in tea, sugar, vegetable oils, and molasses.

Selected Prices Of International Significance (see p. 63). In August, international commodity prices remained steady or moderated. Since July, wheat prices remained steady while prices for corn, grain sorghum, rice, soybeans, soybean meal and coffee declined. Cotton, beef, sugar, cocoa beans and rubber increased, however.

U.S.-Mexican Agricultural Trade Up Sharply In 1977 (see p. 67). Expanded U.S. farm product exports to Mexico reached their second highest level in 1977, and a \$1 billion record for agricultural imports from Mexico contributed to the increase in trade between the two countries. Wheat, coarse grains, and oilseeds are the most important commodities among agricultural exports; coffee, fresh vegetables, and feeder cattle are the largest import items. Prospects for U.S.-Mexican agricultural trade in 1978 are for a leveling off of U.S. farm product exports and declining coffee prices.

Second Quarter Export Prices Higher; Import Prices Decline (see p. 76). Average export unit values for most agricultural products increased between the quarter ending in March and the April-June period. Most import unit values declined, including coffee and cocoa.

FARM PRODUCT EXPORTS EXPAND 12 PERCENT IN OCTOBER-AUGUST 1977/78

During the first 11 months of fiscal year 1978, U.S. agricultural exports amounted to more than \$25 billion, 12 percent above the same months a year earlier. Value gains included wheat, corn, oilseeds and products, cotton, rice, tobacco, fruits, and edible nuts. Export quantities for principal items increased more rapidly than value, rising 18 percent to 116 million tons, reflecting lower prices for some grains and oilseeds.

Increases in exports by region went mainly to the U.S.S.R., Eastern Europe, Latin America, Africa, and Asia.

The agricultural trade surplus widened further to \$12.2 billion from \$10.9 billion in the October-July period and represents a significant gain over October-August 1976/77's \$9.9 billion level. Farm product exports continued to outpace imports, resulting in the larger favorable trade balance.

Five leading export commodities--wheat, coarse grains, soybeans, protein meals, and cotton--accounted for over 90 percent of the export tonnage in October-August 1977/78, and represented nearly two-thirds of the value total.

Wheat exports made the largest percentage gain over year-earlier rates, increasing about 37 percent to more than 28.5 million tons. Larger shipments to Latin America and Western Europe were supplemented by increased import demand in the U.S.S.R., Africa, and the People's Republic of China.

A record 2.67 million tons of wheat went to Brazil in October-August 1977/78, compared with only 516,000 tons in the same months a year earlier due to drought and poor crop yields. Brazil has become the third largest destination behind the U.S.S.R. and Japan. Other Latin American countries, which normally purchase wheat from Argentina or Canada, have been importing more from the United States this year, including Chile, Venezuela, and Colombia. Total U.S. wheat exports to Latin America in October-August 1977/78 amounted to 6.2 million tons, compared with 3.2 million tons during the same period in 1976/77.

Asian countries together form the largest regional market for U.S. wheat, taking 10.4 million tons in October-August 1977/78. Within the region, Japan is the main destination, taking 2.8 million tons valued at \$347 million, compared with slightly over 3 million tons and \$363 million in October-August 1976/77. Growth markets in Asia over the past year include Pakistan, the People's Republic of China, the Philippines, Taiwan, and Indonesia.

Exports to the U.S.S.R., the largest single foreign market for U.S. wheat, were 17 percent above like months a year ago and already exceed the amount specified in the U.S.-U.S.S.R. grain agreement. October-August 1977/78 shipments were 3.4 million tons, compared with less than 2.9 million tons during the first 11 months of 1976/77. Value amounted to \$410 million versus \$431 million a year earlier due to lower prices. Export unit values averaged \$125, compared with \$149 in October-August 1976/77. Shipments for August, at 440,000 tons, were more than double the July rate and over four times those in August 1977.

Shipments of U.S. wheat to Africa rose by 40 percent in the first 11 months to 4.5 million tons from 3.2 million tons during October-August 1976/77. North Africa and Nigeria accounted for most of the increase. Movements to Morocco and Algeria were up sharply, reaching 919,000 tons and 697,000 tons, respectively. Nigeria took 748,000 tons, up 13 percent from a year earlier. Shipments to Egypt, the largest North African destination, remained level at 1.4 million tons after adjustment for transshipments through Canada.

Coarse grain exports rose 9 percent to 50.8 million tons in the 11 months ending August 1978. The increase occurred mainly for shipments of corn to the U.S.S.R., Eastern Europe, Japan, Korea, and Taiwan. Direct exports of coarse grains to the EC dropped 40 percent to 10.5 million tons.

Soybean exports were 26 percent above year-earlier levels to 18.6 million tons. Value gains were limited to 7 percent due to lower prices, however. Western Europe, Japan, Taiwan, and Mexico accounted for most of the gains. Export unit values averaged \$240 per ton in October-August 1977/78, compared with \$284 in similar months the previous year.

Table 1 --Export quantities of selected commodities, October-August 1976/77, 1977/78 and August 1977 and 1978

Commodity	October-August		August	
	1976/77	1977/78	1977	1978
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Animal products:				
Fats, oils, and greases	1,258	1,190	108	102
Meats and meat products	378	364	33	35
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen	175	174	17	18
Grains:				
Wheat and products	21,895	29,796	2,618	3,736
Feed grains and products	46,638	50,986	3,724	5,169
Rice	2,017	1,874	230	147
Oilseeds and products:				
Soybeans	14,748	18,653	492	1,069
Protein meal	4,042	5,546	263	484
Vegetable oils and waxes	1,138	1,391	83	101
Other:				
Fruits and preparations 1/	1,443	1,502	120	140
Vegetables and preparations 2/ ...	1,464	1,096	53	65
Tobacco	260	253	22	24
Cotton, excluding linters	943	1,227	41	120
Feeds and fodders 3/	2,388	2,309	200	221
Total	98,787	116,361	8,004	11,431

1/ Includes fresh fruits, canned fruits, and dried fruits.

2/ Includes fresh vegetables, canned vegetables, and pulses.

3/ Includes prepared animal feeds, corn byproducts, and alfalfa meal and cubes.

Table 2 --Agricultural, nonagricultural, and total trade balance

Item	October-August		August	
	1976/77	1977/78	1977	1978
-- Million dollars --				
Agricultural exports	22,261	25,036	1,541	2,391
Nonagricultural exports	86,500	93,967	7,265	9,030
Total exports	108,761	119,003	8,806	11,421
Agricultural imports	12,367	12,772	1,006	1,033
Nonagricultural imports	118,310	138,983	11,086	13,075
Total imports	130,677	151,755	12,092	14,108
Agricultural trade balance	9,894	12,264	535	1,358
Nonagricultural trade balance	-31,810	-45,016	-3,821	-4,045
Total trade balance	-21,916	-32,752	-3,286	-2,687

Table 3--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by commodity, October-August 1976/77, 1977/78, and August 1977 and 1978

Commodity	October-August		Change	August		Change
	1976/77	1977/78		1977	1978	
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
Animals and animal products:						
Dairy products	154	137	-11	16	9	-44
Fats, oils, and greases	520	507	-2	48	48	---
Hides and skins, including furskins :	726	751	+3	49	64	+30
Cattle hides, whole	487	500	+3	42	54	+29
Furskins	201	201	---	4	5	+25
Other hides and skins	38	50	+32	3	5	+67
Meats and meat products	550	614	+12	51	69	+36
Poultry and poultry products	274	303	+11	28	29	+4
Other	183	220	+20	18	34	+89
Total animals and animal products :	2,407	2,532	+5	210	253	+20
Cotton, excluding linters	1,462	1,579	+8	62	154	+148
Feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal:						
Corn byproducts	202	210	+4	18	18	---
Alfalfa meal	57	41	-28	5	7	+40
Other	332	270	-19	25	31	+24
Total feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal	591	521	-12	48	56	+17
Fruits and preparations	716	891	+24	70	97	+39
Grains and preparations:						
Feed grains, excluding products	4,984	5,218	+5	330	531	+61
Rice	618	726	+17	67	70	+4
Wheat and products	2,730	3,683	+35	271	488	+80
Other	172	187	+9	13	15	+15
Total grains and preparations	8,504	9,814	+15	681	1,104	+62
Nuts and preparations	200	260	+30	16	23	+44
Oilseeds and products:						
Cottonseed and soybean oil	555	662	+19	36	45	+25
Soybeans	4,193	4,487	+7	133	272	+105
Protein meal	909	1,089	+20	58	100	+72
Other	487	841	+73	37	76	+105
Total oilseeds and products	6,144	7,079	+15	264	493	+87
Tobacco, unmanufactured	946	1,052	+11	78	108	+38
Vegetables and preparations	646	581	-10	33	45	+36
Other	645	727	+13	79	58	-27
Total agricultural exports	22,261	25,036	+12	1,541	2,391	+55

Table 4--U.S. agricultural exports by regions, October-August 1976/77,
1977/78 and August 1977 and 1978

Destination 1/	October-August		August		Change	
	1976/77	1977/78	1977	1978	1977/78	1978
	-- Million dollars --					-- Percent --
Western Europe	8,178	7,863	430	653	-4	+52
Enlarged European Community	6,629	6,145	344	513	-7	+49
Other Western Europe	1,549	1,718	86	140	+11	+63
Eastern Europe and U.S.S.R.	1,638	2,661	49	254	+62	+418
U.S.S.R.	1,041	1,744	19	127	+68	+568
Eastern Europe	597	917	30	127	+54	+323
Asia	7,470	8,486	583	800	+14	+37
West Asia	984	1,168	83	118	+19	+42
South Asia	667	538	54	50	-19	-7
East and Southeast Asia, Ex. Japan & PRC:	2,254	2,657	199	255	+18	+28
Japan	3,564	3,819	247	330	+7	+34
People's Republic of China	2/	304	2/	47	+100	+100
Latin America and Caribbean	1,904	2,470	207	298	+30	+44
Brazil	84	386	11	31	+360	+182
Mexico	534	632	67	95	+18	+42
Canada, excluding transshipments	1,462	1,429	117	149	-2	+27
Canadian transshipments	293	564	47	96	+92	+104
Africa	1,189	1,425	95	132	+20	+39
North Africa	696	849	55	77	+22	+40
Other Africa	493	576	40	55	+17	+38
Oceania	127	138	12	10	+9	-17
Total 3/	22,261	25,036	1,541	2,391	+12	+55

1/ Not adjusted for transshipments.

2/ Less than \$500,000.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 5 --U.S. wheat exports: Quantity and value by destination,
October-August 1976/77 and 1977/78

Destination ^{1/}	Quantity		Value	
	1976/77	1977/78	1976/77	1977/78
	-- 1,000 Metric tons --		-- Million dollars --	
Latin America, incl. Caribbean	3,228	6,214	391	756
Brazil	516	2,668	56	319
Chile	368	710	43	87
Colombia	250	453	27	49
Ecuador	207	210	27	24
Mexico	186	252	17	27
Peru	400	346	43	40
Venezuela	579	675	75	85
Central America	385	463	56	61
Western Europe	1,543	3,028	172	366
EC (9)	1,022	2,325	116	282
Other Western Europe	521	703	56	84
Portugal	416	453	44	52
Eastern Europe, excl. U.S.S.R.	832	914	84	104
German Dem. Rep.	22	184	3	23
Poland	656	616	64	71
U.S.S.R.	2,887	3,393	431	410
Asia	9,026	10,460	1,064	1,278
West Asia	1,857	2,387	207	285
Iran	1,060	1,095	116	134
Iraq	110	498	12	58
South Asia	1,162	1,312	134	156
Bangladesh	468	309	47	35
India	523	112	67	12
Pakistan	172	862	21	105
East and Southeast Asia	6,006	6,716	722	830
Indonesia	330	428	37	54
Japan	3,019	2,807	363	347
Korea	1,703	1,429	204	173
People's Rep. of China	---	719	---	93
Philippines	341	582	41	71
Taiwan	405	553	50	68
Africa	3,240	4,549	375	536
North Africa	2,116	3,264	226	385
Algeria	341	697	36	88
Egypt	1,407	1,423	147	165
Morocco	227	919	27	103
Tunisia	140	187	16	24
Other Africa	1,124	1,284	149	151
Nigeria	661	748	90	88
Sudan	107	120	12	13
Total	20,755	28,557	2,517	3,450

^{1/} Adjusted for transshipments through Canadian ports. Individual items may not add to totals due to rounding.

Table 6--U.S. corn exports: Quantity and value by destination, October-August 1976/77 and 1977/78

Destination <u>1/</u>	Quantity		Value	
	1976/77	1977/78	1976/77	1977/78
	-- 1,000 Metric tons--		-- Million dollars --	
Latin America, including Caribbean ..	1,906	2,478	215	271
Brazil	2/	303	2/	34
Mexico	1,093	1,428	119	155
Western Europe	20,780	16,100	2,207	1,626
EC (9)	16,400	10,423	1,749	1,054
Other Western Europe	4,380	5,677	458	572
Greece	939	968	103	97
Portugal	1,456	1,572	155	160
Spain	1,839	2,944	185	297
Eastern Europe, excluding U.S.S.R. ..	1,780	2,860	191	292
Bulgaria	---	184	---	21
Czechoslovakia	354	296	41	34
German Democratic Republic	291	429	30	45
Hungary	34	138	5	15
Poland	998	1,646	105	163
Romania	103	127	10	10
U.S.S.R.	3,135	10,421	353	1,093
Asia	10,000	11,255	1,084	1,184
West Asia	506	667	56	69
Iran	156	210	17	22
Israel	302	359	34	38
East and Southeast Asia	9,492	10,587	1,028	1,115
Japan	7,013	7,704	764	808
Korea	1,252	1,499	131	161
Taiwan	1,078	1,348	118	142
Africa	943	1,244	102	130
North Africa	705	989	75	102
Algeria	80	149	8	16
Egypt	604	679	64	71
Other Africa	238	255	27	28
Canada	421	277	42	25
Total	38,971	44,637	4,194	4,621

1/ Regions and principal countries adjusted for transshipments through Canadian ports.

Individual items may not add in totals due to rounding.

2/ Less than 50 tons and \$5,000.

Table 7 --U.S. soybean exports: Quantity and value by destination, October-August 1976/77 and 1977/78

Destination ^{1/}	Quantity		Value	
	1976/77	1977/78	1976/77	1977/78
	-- 1,000 Metric tons --		-- Million dollars	
Latin America and Caribbean	463	659	127	165
Mexico	377	503	103	126
Western Europe	8,360	10,740	2,381	2,556
EC (9)	6,874	8,571	1,965	2,039
Other Western Europe	1,486	2,169	416	517
Norway	201	233	56	57
Portugal	80	189	22	45
Spain	1,054	1,601	295	379
Eastern Europe, excl. U.S.S.R.	163	555	46	131
Poland	15	130	4	34
Romania	107	275	30	62
Yugoslavia	40	150	12	35
U.S.S.R.	833	831	221	221
Asia	4,436	5,493	1,278	1,326
West Asia	367	446	106	105
Israel	362	418	104	99
East and Southeast Asia	4,070	5,047	1,173	1,221
Indonesia	59	120	18	28
Japan	3,156	3,759	908	911
Korea	140	233	40	59
Taiwan	676	799	196	190
Africa	49	112	17	25
North Africa	49	112	17	25
Canada	430	248	120	59
Oceania	12	15	3	3
Total	14,748	18,653	4,193	4,487

^{1/} Regions and principal countries adjusted for transshipments through Canada. Individual items may not add to totals due to rounding.

Table 8--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by months, October 1968 to August 1978 (Million Dollars)

Months	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77	1977/78
		1/							2/	2/
October	463.8	644.9	729.9	465.9	907.5	1,734.4	1,711.9	2,081.9	2,250.6	1,705.0
November	609.4	657.8	723.8	630.2	1,080.4	2,085.6	2,352.5	2,175.6	2,120.9	2,081.4
December	610.7	590.9	744.6	841.5	1,108.6	1,973.3	2,119.5	1,959.4	2,081.4	2,323.7
October-December ...	1,683.9	1,893.6	2,200.3	1,937.6	3,096.5	5,793.3	6,183.9	6,216.9	6,452.9	6,110.1
January	177.7	524.1	670.3	769.7	1,135.5	1,833.9	2,452.9	1,994.1	1,906.7	1,937.7
February	239.5	559.6	634.5	714.2	1,180.1	1,909.8	1,920.2	1,715.1	2,045.2	2,068.0
March	517.2	569.7	714.5	668.2	1,411.4	2,092.6	1,911.0	1,873.3	2,290.8	2,518.9
January-March	934.4	1,653.4	2,019.3	2,152.1	3,727.0	5,836.3	6,284.1	5,582.5	6,242.7	6,524.6
October-March	2,618.3	3,547.0	4,219.6	4,089.7	6,823.5	11,629.6	12,468.0	11,799.4	12,695.6	12,634.7
April	602.0	558.4	632.1	627.7	1,265.5	2,011.1	1,757.6	1,932.3	2,206.5	2,507.8
May	583.6	573.7	623.1	711.5	1,367.3	1,796.5	1,496.2	1,848.4	2,196.3	2,728.6
June	513.2	599.4	607.1	743.5	1,376.1	1,704.4	1,389.6	1,823.8	1,880.2	2,640.0
April-June	1,698.8	1,731.5	1,862.3	2,082.7	4,008.9	5,512.0	4,643.4	5,604.5	6,283.0	7,876.4
July	499.8	567.8	578.5	680.8	1,223.7	1,631.5	1,532.4	1,798.6	1,746.6	2,133.5
August	438.4	537.5	546.2	679.0	1,478.1	1,452.3	1,600.4	1,759.6	1,540.8	2,391.5
September	471.5	568.3	749.3	709.5	1,449.2	1,382.6	1,609.8	1,796.9	1,733.8	
July-September	1,409.7	1,673.6	1,874.0	2,069.3	4,151.0	4,466.4	4,742.6	5,355.1	5,021.2	
April-September	3,108.5	3,405.1	3,736.3	4,152.0	8,159.9	9,978.4	9,386.0	10,959.6	11,304.2	
October-September 3/	5,726.8	6,952.1	7,955.9	8,241.7	14,983.4	21,608.0	21,854.0	22,759.0	23,999.8	
Monthly average ...	477.2	579.3	663.0	686.8	1,248.6	1,800.7	1,821.2	1,896.6	2,000.0	

1/ Beginning Jan. 1970, export values include small amounts of commodities formerly classified as nonagricultural.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

TABLE 9 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1978 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	108,761,000	---	8,806,200
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	86,500,109	---	7,265,445
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	22,260,891	---	1,540,755
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	2,406,552	---	203,778
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	89,512	---	11,790
CATTLE	NO	94,265	54,310	9,672	5,510
OTHER	---	---	35,202	---	6,280
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	152,866	---	15,941
BUTTER	MT	194	235	16	42
CHEESE AND CURD	MT	4,219	4,561	525	439
MILK AND CREAM	---	---	12,146	---	1,560
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MT	13,692	15,777	809	544
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	MT	10,462	6,099	931	330
FRESH OR SOUR	LIT	7,258,123	7,408,456	888,001	563,321
NONFAT DRY	MT	50,401	72,886	5,786	520
OTHER	---	---	46,307	---	8,399
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	---	---	519,658	---	4,115
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MT	1,257,832	1,189,722	107,940	101,701
TALLOW	MT	83,040	55,515	4,216	47,856
EDIBLE	MT	1,105,474	1,052,614	96,050	1,893
INEDIBLE	MT	9,339	6,680	25	3,390
OTHER	MT	1,096,465	1,045,934	96,025	42,458
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	---	---	34,609	---	364
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	378,285	364,124	7,674	42,094
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	35,541	48,257	37,955	3,824
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	115,379	94,201	32,612	50,566
OTHER	MT	165,925	162,755	4,303	12,328
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	58,911	---	1,837
POULTRY, LIVE	---	---	274,977	---	69,227
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	9,190,678	10,969,318	745,710	23,274
OTHER	NO	13,753,114	16,288,020	833,419	21,396
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN	---	---	6,162	---	16,090
CHICKENS	MT	174,719	174,172	16,964	9,226
TURKEYS	MT	143,476	143,897	13,331	21,105
OTHER	MT	22,952	21,484	15,769	16,733
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	---	---	8,791	---	3,619
OTHER POULTRY	MT	2,4785	1,622	515	753
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	15,381,592	17,426,606	2,703	201
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	21,102,692	29,559,293	235	414
EGGS AND EGGS ALBUMEN, DRIED	MT	879	4,691	1,195,750	1,753
EGGS & ALBUMEN, OTHERWISE PRES	MT	5,004	11,720	1,643,039	973
FEATHERS AND DOWN	---	---	23,933	---	607
	---	---	---	---	2,171
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TABLE 9 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1977 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	TPC	22,936	741,727	1,926	50,110
FURSKINS	---	---	486,804	---	41,797
OTHER	---	---	216,774	---	5,166
	---	---	38,149	---	3,147
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	MT	486	77,693	20	5,289
SAUSAGE CASINGS	MT	6,548	2,854	496	82
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	MT	2,786	24,051	70	514
OTHER	---	---	20,879	---	2,047
	---	---	32,063	---	650
	---	---	57,880	---	1,252
	---	---	---	---	2,574
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
	---	---	19,854,339	---	1,330,977
	---	---	22,482,661	---	2,136,493
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, RAW	MT	942,812	1,477,460	41,269	62,224
LINTERS	MT	53,148	1,461,808	3,906	61,597
	---	---	8,652	---	153,731
	---	---	12,268	---	628
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED	MT	127,418	715,832	9,115	69,522
CHERRIES	MT	5,112	82,168	555	6,014
FRUIT COCKTAIL	MT	36,581	5,334	2,096	11,655
PEACHES	MT	48,507	23,227	3,280	628
PEARS	MT	3,166	16,586	195	1,388
PINEAPPLES	MT	15,243	76,187	1,719	4,067
OTHER	MT	18,809	4,189	1,003	135
DRIED	MT	81,179	10,073	1,043	101
GRAPES (RAISINS)	MT	107,383	9,496	5,569	660
PRUNES	MT	42,569	32,704	8,908	4,241
GRAPES (RAISINS)	MT	28,704	93,993	3,294	11,549
OTHER	MT	9,906	52,981	4,760	13,074
FRESH	MT	1,235,260	42,564	3,039	3,637
APPLES	MT	112,451	13,161	102,402	7,192
BERRIES	MT	18,331	393,560	1,003	2,245
GRAPEFRUIT	MT	271,646	486,360	27,911	58,172
GRAPES	MT	259,526	60,256	6,281	2,842
LEMONS AND LIMES	MT	58,435	41,221	6,250	2,547
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	MT	225,655	14,194	27,911	2,842
PEARS	MT	396,894	14,194	31,790	1,210
OTHER	MT	24,883	63,579	5,915	1,210
FRUIT JUICES	HCL	126,905	64,406	7,726	2,759
GRAPEFRUIT	HCL	1,871,498	36,301	18,773	5,978
ORANGE	HCL	272,728	72,619	25,906	16,918
OTHER	HCL	1,062,569	81,999	31,790	10,043
FROZEN FRUITS	MT	536,201	130,591	31,790	13,056
OTHER	MT	9,595	13,483	3,400	1,582
	MT	18,822	72,430	3,608	1,582
	---	---	46,325	26,920	9,202
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	128,831	162,870	13,825
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	53,342	143,367	227,519	11,132
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MT	31,020	17,166	24,690	1,468
OTHER	---	---	14,571	17,326	1,468
	---	---	90,135	75,447	7,362
	---	---	36,066	64,249	2,897
	---	---	8,124	56,536	2,897
	---	---	9,155	2,356	1,153
	---	---	13,026	889	1,309
	---	---	260,031	1,605	934
	---	---	140,610	---	15,814
	---	---	48,032	5,271	23,485
	---	---	71,389	808	12,605
	---	---	50,555	309	1,497
	---	---	---	---	6,202
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TABLE 9 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS																	
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS																	
FEED GRAINS																	
BARLEY	MT	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980	46,638,336	50,985,980
CORN	MT	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562	1,637,760	768,562
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070	38,970,809	44,637,070
OATS	MT	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737	5,792,033	5,173,737
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	MT	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079	8,242,335	218,079
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	MT	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296	23,378	23,296
CORNMEAL	MT	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969	13,452	16,969
CORN STARCH	MT	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997	73,460	94,997
OTHER CORN PRODUCTS	MT	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219	33,526	30,219
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	MT	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613	11,683	18,613
RICE	MT	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772	2,017,062	1,873,772
MILLED	MT	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038	1,726,677	1,611,038
HUSKED, BROWN	MT	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734	290,385	262,734
RYE	MT	722	735	722	735	722	735	722	735	722	735	722	735	722	735	722	735
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456	21,895,131	29,796,456
WHEAT	MT	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280	20,753,044	28,557,280
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363	898,822	919,363
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	MT	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813	241,265	319,813
BAKERY PRODUCTS	MT	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968	21,021	7,968
DIETETIC FOODS	MT	813	232	813	232	813	232	813	232	813	232	813	232	813	232	813	232
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	MT	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629	146,968	151,629
OTHER	MT																
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE&MEAL																	
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, LUPINES, ETC	MT	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603	187,155	88,603
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	MT	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227	1,670,060	1,643,227
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MT	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785	166,684	79,785
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MT	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602	154,695	149,602
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MT	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680	147,925	194,680
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	MT	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660	249,111	250,660
OTHER	MT																
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS																	
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458	4,041,362	5,546,458
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946	3,924,175	5,261,946
OTHER	MT	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512	117,187	284,512
OILSEEDS																	
FLAXSEED	MT	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677	203	25,677
SOYBEANS	MT	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067	14,747,639	18,653,067
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362	322,733	861,362
SAFFLOWER SEED	MT	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344	9,524	35,344
PEANUTS, SHELLLED BASIS	MT	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769	243,798	305,769
OTHER	MT	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133	103,113	88,133
VEG. OILS AND WAXES	MT	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509	1,138,207	1,391,509
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809	283,373	306,809
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179	671,962	842,179
PEANUT OIL	MT	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126	26,952	44,126
OTHER	MT	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395	155,920	198,395
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	MT	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902	25,933	43,902

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TABLE 9 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE	1977	1978 1/	1979 1/
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE				
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	259,626	253,456	946,313	1,052,072	21,549	23,987	78,184	157,524
BURLEY	MT	36,406	36,731	152,698	166,678	5,757	6,314	23,296	29,294
CIGAR WRAPPER	MT	1,711	1,457	21,088	19,499	199	56	1,560	302
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	MT	7,422	6,025	24,874	22,809	935	728	3,496	2,707
FLUE-CURED	MT	165,891	161,292	692,916	781,514	10,809	14,727	43,567	68,941
MARYLAND	MT	3,191	2,335	12,521	9,667	725	417	3,041	1,759
OTHER	MT	45,005	45,616	42,216	51,905	3,124	2,445	3,224	5,526
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	655,484	607,740	---	---	33,348	47,794
CANNED	MT	114,425	105,364	68,863	72,830	7,547	7,644	5,110	5,523
ASPARAGUS	MT	971	1,161	1,220	1,796	79	115	89	106
CORN	MT	25,047	32,397	14,648	18,041	1,684	1,446	1,031	835
SOUPS	MT	12,367	14,054	8,791	11,748	1,450	1,482	1,069	1,385
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	MT	22,367	26,217	15,454	18,204	1,694	1,899	1,224	1,355
OTHER	MT	53,673	31,535	28,650	23,041	2,640	2,702	1,758	1,843
PULSES	MT	270,610	222,410	106,757	103,906	11,035	14,534	4,306	8,093
DRIED BEANS	MT	172,592	181,678	65,372	83,873	8,583	14,258	3,217	5,929
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	MT	66,583	33,257	24,477	14,699	2,050	3,519	849	1,263
DRIED LENTILS	MT	31,435	7,475	16,908	5,334	492	1,757	259	961
DRIED, OTHER	MT	0	640	0	735	0	97	0	115
FRESH	MT	1,078,508	767,913	234,539	206,471	34,517	38,309	9,348	9,585
ASPARAGUS	MT	4,402	5,368	4,484	6,423	36	20	1,220	1,261
LETTUCE	MT	152,493	164,238	30,413	38,881	5,234	4,717	1,125	958
ONIONS	MT	133,680	81,297	29,369	18,557	5,027	4,556	1,604	1,144
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MT	464,380	152,985	67,847	23,872	9,724	7,796	2,310	1,710
POTATOES	MT	72,735	88,256	26,451	30,650	5,967	5,607	3,069	4,509
OTHER	MT	250,818	275,769	75,912	87,987	8,529	15,630	2,857	3,991
FROZEN VEGETABLES	MT	62,216	61,903	33,469	34,623	5,001	6,669	4,27	210
HOPS	MT	7,734	6,191	17,491	14,270	143	85	2,935	6,299
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	MT	44,679	51,862	49,454	54,517	1,786	6,286	440	1,047
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	HCL	196,467	142,695	6,969	8,120	11,447	17,380	1,660	1,064
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	MT	19,533	12,453	23,719	14,001	1,425	946	6,756	11,867
OTHER	---	---	---	114,132	98,265	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	657,871	764,911	---	---	80,003	59,318
COFFEE	MT	21,136	16,174	93,720	90,022	5,961	1,218	32,953	7,132
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	MT	5,035	4,859	25,875	45,796	442	276	2,621	3,704
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	MT	6,827	7,861	80,393	79,215	545	770	5,130	5,369
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---	99,100	147,126	---	---	12,725	11,973
HONEY	MT	1,994	2,674	2,881	4,004	204	390	298	588
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	38,900	43,325	---	---	2,386	2,686
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	118,912	237,557	151,889	195,299	11,614	9,237	9,807	9,678
SPICES	MT	4,903	6,118	13,343	16,153	367	496	1,270	1,942
OTHER	---	---	---	151,769	143,972	---	---	12,813	25,247

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TABLE 10--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST 76/77	77/78	AUGUST 1977	1978
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE	NO	576.142	716.473	569.730	665.871
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BUTTER	MT	2,035.031	2,461.706	1,546.125	2,730.214
CHEESE AND CURD	MT	2,878.875	2,944.780	2,971.177	2,969.797
MILK AND CREAM	---	---	---	---	---
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MT	649.168	627.222	672.557	627.293
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	MT	692.051	1,097.701	836.159	1,143.450
FRESH OR SOUR	LIT	.689	.623	.586	.671
NONFAT DRY	MT	1,446.117	914.654	1,451.619	399.162
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	413.138	427.280	443.355	469.463
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MT	469.045	540.661	449.081	617.151
TALLOW	MT	403.536	418.363	438.710	458.506
EDIBLE	MT	422.788	421.358	561.600	536.634
INEDIBLE	MT	403.378	418.344	438.678	457.930
OTHER	MT	499.283	465.177	498.357	525.838
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	MT	1,454.247	1,687.006	1,550.521	1,959.945
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	2,893.549	3,288.460	2,865.018	3,486.699
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	1,785.790	2,020.845	1,703.818	2,158.202
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	897.604	1,004.019	993.042	1,148.764
OTHER	MT	1,502.320	1,728.258	1,507.691	1,791.684
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	1.941	1.968	1.948	1.752
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	.320	.269	.333	.308
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	960.873	1,022.383	978.516	1,143.514
CHICKENS	MT	918.614	973.084	956.852	1,061.119
TURKEYS	MT	1,162.447	1,290.383	1,040.639	1,785.169
OTHER	MT	1,134.148	1,174.387	1,163.186	1,141.473
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	MT	1,470.052	1,666.767	1,286.315	1,499.724
OTHER POULTRY	MT	---	2,006.527	---	2,158.635
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	1.439	1.474	1.458	1.466
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	.630	.597	.569	.592
EGGS AND EGGS ALBUMEN, DRIED	MT	5,336.270	3,972.545	5,020.636	4,167.303
EGGS & ALBUMEN, OTHERWISE PRES	MT	2,310.703	1,350.257	2,398.749	1,306.289
FEATHERS AND DOWN	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 10--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST 76/77	77/78	AUGUST 1977	1978
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	TPC	21,224.471	22,845.129	21,701.362	24,876.454
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	MT	1,440.198	1,063.282	879.450	2,743.890
SAUSAGE CASINGS	MT	3,673.090	3,253.027	4,127.631	3,696.136
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	MT	7,494.141	8,433.649	9,283.371	13,039.167
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, RAW	MT	1,550.477	1,286.399	1,492.573	1,276.306
LINTERS	MT	162.791	219.314	160.778	220.583
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED	MT	644.867	632.613	659.790	736.653
CHERRIES	MT	1,043.491	1,241.033	1,132.365	1,421.290
FRUIT COCKTAIL	MT	634.950	691.518	662.081	762.519
PEACHES	MT	526.140	507.738	503.822	560.015
PEARS	MT	625.370	620.164	694.662	729.230
PINEAPPLES	MT	660.797	701.531	679.086	740.432
OTHER	MT	852.378	701.562	820.966	762.754
DRIED	MT	1,157.855	1,263.357	1,296.496	1,391.900
PRUNES	MT	898.971	1,092.251	888.925	1,104.216
GRAPES (RAISINS)	MT	1,482.866	1,373.757	1,838.649	1,510.991
OTHER	MT	1,328.589	1,533.996	1,631.136	1,676.265
FRESH	MT	318.621	394.819	380.882	508.396
APPLES	MT	366.572	454.876	405.541	454.728
BERRIES	MT	756.784	765.729	799.961	850.563
GRAPEFRUIT	MT	237.097	244.979	287.291	387.417
GRAPES	MT	621.228	630.548	816.216	767.931
LEMONS AND LIMES	MT	321.814	409.501	369.201	653.059
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	MT	278.503	384.161	315.930	467.774
PEARS	MT	332.680	402.503	321.864	465.431
OTHER	MT	365.039	429.791	341.839	399.280
FRUIT JUICES	HCL	68.839	55.383	68.350	51.544
GRAPEFRUIT	HCL	53.427	50.417	57.234	53.015
ORANGE	HCL	82.259	58.525	98.739	51.379
OTHER	HCL	50.082	50.937	36.675	51.240
FROZEN FRUITS	MT	846.729	778.535	975.007	815.785
OTHER	MT	486.308	634.487	582.145	869.979
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	2,050.707	2,528.860	2,234.531	2,391.448
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MT	1,302.281	1,449.199	2,094.388	1,853.068
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 10--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST	1978
		76/77	77/78	1977	
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS	MT	107.746	103.262	89.714	103.502
FEED GRAINS	MT	107.223	102.718	89.104	103.051
BARLEY	MT	113.678	96.500	93.861	102.740
CORN	MT	107.622	103.531	89.322	103.405
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	102.573	96.779	86.806	100.316
OATS	MT	116.931	99.124	76.095	96.573
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	MT	311.317	308.633	311.890	286.833
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	MT	158.716	167.868	127.340	146.828
CORNMEAL	MT	186.569	191.446	182.979	197.849
CORN STARCH	MT	425.751	402.205	371.979	410.291
OTHER CORN PRODUCTS	MT	---	217.454	---	248.524
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	MT	314.636	307.631	386.162	410.338
RICE	MT	306.984	396.423	291.789	481.740
MILLED	MT	318.584	409.310	296.778	500.694
HUSKED, BROWN	MT	238.012	317.403	238.124	390.494
RYE	MT	95.525	80.001	66.639	67.692
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	124.685	123.620	103.528	130.686
WHEAT	MT	121.254	120.798	101.206	127.901
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	185.274	190.695	181.623	200.340
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	MT	194.165	183.016	189.767	197.266
BAKERY PRODUCTS	MT	1,101.820	1,044.114	1,106.699	767.451
DIETETIC FOODS	MT	2,819.050	2,028.241	2,159.850	---
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	MT	378.535	365.930	352.837	326.314
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, LUPINES, ETC	MT	100.673	86.623	80.772	95.453
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	MT	120.799	128.010	127.651	131.596
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MT	130.951	109.707	127.213	119.759
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MT	127.989	92.480	101.849	90.299
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MT	102.844	97.735	107.014	97.602
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	MT	355.088	316.773	381.515	414.033
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	224.859	196.271	222.002	207.297
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	224.866	191.761	221.825	212.407
OTHER	MT	224.632	168.718	225.595	169.342
OILSEEDS	---	---	---	---	---
FLAXSEED	MT	281.941	215.996	---	---
SOYBEANS	MT	284.314	240.529	270.908	254.219
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	298.414	249.117	228.641	257.553
SAFFLOWER SEED	MT	293.396	243.988	240.962	241.231
PEANUTS, SHELLLED BASIS	MT	693.284	776.473	789.431	919.236
OTHER	MT	276.784	275.397	310.677	481.447
VEG OILS AND WAXES	MT	622.041	622.379	705.693	656.186
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	561.411	589.944	629.145	524.019
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	589.446	570.853	642.345	641.222
PEANUT OIL	MT	770.967	938.642	839.723	992.439
OTHER	MT	846.959	820.926	865.240	766.075
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	MT	1,020.296	892.359	1,019.034	777.238

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TABLE 10--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		:	AUGUST	
		76/77	77/78		1977	1978
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	3,644.907	4,150.907		3,628.213	4,482.585
BURLEY	MT	4,194.317	4,537.802		4,046.540	4,481.216
CIGAR WRAPPER	MT	12,325.233	13,382.873		7,838.698	5,386.839
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	MT	3,351.336	3,785.661		3,739.041	3,718.666
FLUE-CURED	MT	4,176.933	4,845.339		4,030.608	4,914.899
MARYLAND	MT	3,923.873	4,140.190		4,195.113	4,218.424
OTHER	MT	938.020	1,137.869		1,032.083	2,257.725
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---		---	---
CANNED	MT	601.819	691.226		677.082	722.499
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,256.379	1,547.089		1,126.987	917.974
CORN	MT	584.828	556.876		612.331	577.178
SOUPS	MT	710.831	835.887		695.557	934.820
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	MT	695.411	694.377		722.336	713.340
OTHER	MT	533.786	730.651		665.737	681.932
PULSES	MT	394.506	467.183		390.225	414.326
DRIED BEANS	MT	378.768	461.658		374.868	415.864
DRIED PEAS, INC CORN AND CHICK	MT	367.619	441.997		414.295	358.806
DRIED LENTILS	MT	537.861	713.519		595.343	513.038
DRIED, OTHER	MT	---	1,148.445		---	1,186.753
FRESH	MT	217.466	268.873		270.818	250.200
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,018.669	1,196.610		566.667	935.333
LETTUCE	MT	199.438	236.738		233.021	267.305
ONIONS	MT	219.694	229.494		223.756	210.170
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MT	146.103	156.043		164.935	146.786
TOMATOES	MT	364.532	347.290		387.083	304.981
OTHER	MT	302.657	319.060		359.879	288.504
FROZEN VEGETABLES	MT	537.947	559.309		573.316	598.499
HOPS	MT	2,261.630	2,339.015		2,983.322	2,467.082
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	MT	1,108.892	1,051.203		1,643.165	1,002.038
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	HCL	35.474	56.906		38.418	60.219
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	MT	1,214.325	1,124.297		1,165.132	1,124.916
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---		---	---
COFFEE	MT	4,423.657	5,565.832		5,528.098	5,855.680
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	MT	5,139.102	9,424.986		5,930.262	13,419.312
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	MT	11,775.761	10,154.422		9,412.993	8,271.010
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---		---	---
HONEY	MT	1,445.027	1,497.451		1,461.681	1,507.510
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---		---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	1,277.327	822.114		844.434	1,047.693
SPICES	MT	2,721.450	2,640.300		3,460.501	3,916.284
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---

TABLE 11.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
CATTLE, LIVE													
CANADA	NO	94,265	107,456	54,310	76,989	9,672	76,989	21,198	5,510	9,672	5,510	21,198	14,115
MEXICO		37,142	35,701	13,311	16,406	2,950	16,406	13,665	812	2,950	812	13,665	6,702
COSTA RICA		22,999	22,875	11,262	13,546	2,990	13,546	2,800	1,615	2,990	1,615	2,800	1,990
BRAZIL		3,127	1,395	2,905	1,346	509	1,346	0	493	509	493	0	0
ARGENTINA		712	990	1,800	1,881	0	1,881	34	0	0	0	110	110
HUNGARY		887	711	1,985	1,358	0	1,358	44	0	0	0	143	143
SPAIN		1,233	1,962	1,350	2,174	166	2,174	224	177	166	177	224	613
YUGOSLAVIA		964	132	1,369	199	0	199	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRAN		2,667	1,078	1,822	1,173	101	1,173	100	102	101	102	100	126
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		5,639	14,113	4,145	12,186	648	12,186	1,561	415	648	415	1,561	1,824
JAPAN		4,909	13,003	3,777	10,658	382	10,658	879	274	382	274	879	703
OTHER		6,580	5,360	5,413	6,301	871	6,301	1,045	481	871	481	1,045	1,134
		7,406	10,136	5,172	9,761	1,055	9,761	846	1,141	1,055	1,141	846	771
MILK & CREAM, CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED													
MEXICO	MT	13,692	15,777	8,888	9,896	910	9,896	937	544	910	544	937	588
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		11,403	12,808	6,792	7,693	566	7,693	753	356	566	356	753	472
TRUST TERR PAC IS		133	48	282	82	0	82	0	0	0	0	0	0
GUINEA		639	1,098	485	827	69	827	44	56	69	56	44	36
OTHER		247	210	294	125	5	125	93	3	5	3	93	38
		1,269	1,614	1,036	1,169	170	1,169	47	130	170	130	47	42
MILK, NONFAT DRY													
MEXICO	MT	50,401	80,555	72,886	73,681	5,787	73,681	10,028	8,399	5,787	8,399	10,028	4,003
GUATEMALA		422	14,788	197	6,239	100	6,239	5,328	29	100	29	5,328	2,271
COSTA RICA		1,365	1,754	1,628	1,947	0	1,947	0	0	0	0	0	0
HAITI		1,899	92	2,809	143	31	143	0	47	31	47	0	0
BOLIVIA		1,584	1,577	2,336	2,285	141	2,285	104	214	141	214	37	37
CHILE		1,375	2,323	2,019	1,112	177	1,112	644	269	177	269	644	227
LEBANON		6,162	46	9,262	70	0	70	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDIA		830	1,135	1,239	1,784	198	1,784	0	296	198	296	0	0
INDONESIA		8,452	15,967	12,074	14,732	318	14,732	131	483	318	483	131	46
PHILIPPINES		2,366	2,288	3,587	1,059	0	1,059	263	0	0	0	96	96
MOROCCO		10,452	3,265	15,902	4,438	1,938	4,438	0	2,709	1,938	2,709	0	0
ALGERIA		1,842	5,315	2,701	3,991	0	3,991	1,788	0	0	0	631	631
SUDAN		0	1,750	0	2,824	0	2,824	0	0	0	0	0	0
UPPER VOLTA		181	2,102	38	2,840	0	2,840	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOMALIA		2,119	5,385	3,098	6,424	1,692	6,424	0	2,471	1,692	2,471	0	0
TANZANIA		26	2,471	39	3,694	0	3,694	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOZAMBIQUE		984	0	1,602	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		9,941	17,229	14,355	16,733	1,191	16,733	524	1,880	1,191	1,880	524	185
								1,246	510				
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT													
CANADA	MT	83,040	55,515	38,950	30,015	4,216	30,015	5,493	1,893	4,216	1,893	5,493	3,390
MEXICO		13,506	19,787	6,087	10,452	1,433	10,452	2,425	627	1,433	627	2,425	1,569
RELICO		28,605	26,136	14,300	13,998	1,960	13,998	2,781	868	1,960	868	2,781	1,587
UNITED KINGDOM		1,092	1,046	958	888	102	888	80	81	102	81	69	69
		26,862	4,879	11,662	2,243	649	2,243	68	268	649	268	68	42

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TABLE 11 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG	MT	1,096,465	1,045,934	442,290	437,560	96,025	42,124	91,923	42,094		
POLAND		3,447	301	1,585	130	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		5,107	0	2,375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		4,421	3,365	1,881	2,303	73	50	139	122		
TALLOW, INEDIBLE:											
MEXICO		31,373	43,908	12,964	18,654	4,943	2,173	4,624	2,238		
COLOMBIA		34,606	28,429	12,823	11,303	3,365	1,283	5,274	2,388		
VENEZUELA		13,902	23,965	5,396	10,143	1,681	675	2,099	1,026		
UNITED KINGDOM		83,175	32,634	32,634	20,269	3,228	1,385	1,899	1,046		
NETHERLANDS		92,534	79,458	36,708	31,576	5,251	2,355	6,842	3,171		
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		24,170	28,771	9,306	10,606	2,887	1,085	3,808	1,512		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		70,935	66,805	27,426	25,016	6,052	2,313	6,979	2,860		
USSR		0	43,706	0	18,744	0	0	0	0		
SPAIN		44,007	25,613	17,192	10,436	2,611	964	3,844	1,692		
ITALY		23,619	12,102	8,945	4,896	0	0	0	0		
INDIA		25,972	15,573	11,970	6,791	2,578	1,091	1,150	599		
PAKISTAN		49,861	46,388	21,712	20,566	13,835	6,343	4,593	2,109		
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		0	24,473	0	11,460	0	0	0	0		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		95,197	64,548	37,382	26,621	8,578	3,545	7,072	3,464		
JAPAN		86,427	81,918	34,154	33,969	3,811	1,677	8,358	3,886		
ALGERIA		23,449	32,195	10,100	12,827	3,600	1,677	4,197	1,546		
EGYPT		107,162	110,409	45,279	49,886	12,678	6,368	14,029	6,227		
NIGERIA		32,815	28,701	12,934	11,559	3,233	1,446	445	178		
OTHER		257,260	238,758	105,363	102,236	17,692	7,745	16,710	8,152		
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	35,542	48,257	102,840	158,691	4,303	12,328	6,675	23,274		
CANADA		4,193	3,236	15,102	11,783	315	1,060	487	1,870		
BERMUDA		696	791	2,962	3,359	83	344	91	374		
BAHAMAS		2,330	2,499	6,881	8,185	230	705	208	374		
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		655	1,062	2,500	3,612	49	169	92	308		
VENEZUELA		2,094	425	3,732	693	660	0	0	0		
NETHERLANDS		590	581	2,390	2,186	13	43	17	26		
SAUDI ARABIA		1,054	1,844	3,994	6,724	263	827	232	769		
JAPAN		16,422	30,307	40,755	95,533	2,147	6,217	4,795	16,687		
OTHER		7,507	7,511	24,525	26,615	541	1,669	753	2,534		
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MT	115,379	96,612	206,043	196,607	9,815	15,723	10,251	22,316		
CANADA		74,580	47,931	116,372	85,053	6,670	11,239	4,602	9,540		
MEXICO		2,322	8,204	1,604	5,510	923	526	972	771		
BAHAMAS		1,967	2,359	3,535	4,876	201	372	267	556		
VENEZUELA		2,518	6,755	4,820	15,551	114	262	245	619		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		183	2,116	517	5,140	0	0	2,093	5,107		
JAPAN		25,721	19,212	64,002	61,942	1,340	4,030	1,150	4,030		
OTHER		8,087	10,035	13,193	18,535	567	915	923	1,693		
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MT	165,926	162,755	148,935	163,409	12,374	12,289	14,006	16,090		
CANADA		1,909	4,867	1,259	4,138	88	69	654	606		

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/
			1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
MEXICO		13,798	13,100	7,117	7,696	716	7,696	1,633	424	1,023	424	1,633	424	1,023	424
UNITED KINGDOM		29,251	30,962	22,814	23,825	1,906	23,825	2,821	1,641	2,117	1,641	2,821	1,641	2,117	1,641
NETHERLANDS		19,928	18,529	17,044	15,232	1,828	15,232	916	1,663	823	1,663	916	1,663	823	1,663
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		10,452	10,073	11,431	10,922	661	10,922	392	711	479	711	392	711	479	711
FRANCE		52,211	45,786	50,249	42,263	4,242	42,263	2,791	4,115	2,696	4,115	2,791	4,115	2,696	4,115
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,920	8,117	5,917	3,331	337	3,331	442	215	152	215	442	215	152	215
JAPAN		13,036	18,195	21,162	42,536	1,152	42,536	2,589	2,318	6,528	2,318	2,589	2,318	6,528	2,318
OTHER		15,420	13,126	11,943	13,464	1,445	13,464	1,767	1,132	1,665	1,132	1,767	1,132	1,665	1,132
BREEDING CHICKS	MND	9,191	10,969	17,840	21,586	746	21,586	1,101	1,453	1,929	1,453	1,101	1,453	1,929	1,453
CANADA		1,582	2,231	1,281	1,812	75	1,812	374	96	200	96	374	96	200	96
MEXICO		266	306	1,393	1,453	16	1,453	29	65	117	65	29	65	117	65
VENEZUELA		354	403	928	1,185	31	1,185	39	61	120	61	39	61	120	61
BRAZIL		231	222	1,259	1,354	9	1,354	10	63	30	63	10	63	30	63
SPAIN		276	292	1,154	1,276	15	1,276	28	42	66	42	28	42	66	42
IRAN		450	428	746	380	54	380	37	120	13	120	37	120	13	120
JAPAN		1,904	1,584	3,559	3,453	175	3,453	160	333	325	333	160	333	325	333
OTHER		4,128	5,503	7,520	10,672	370	10,672	425	673	1,057	673	425	673	1,057	673
POULTRY MEAT, CHICKENS, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	143,476	143,897	131,709	140,024	13,332	140,024	15,770	12,756	16,733	12,756	15,770	12,756	16,733	12,756
CANADA		11,533	10,654	12,028	11,848	1,100	11,848	1,115	1,162	1,255	1,162	1,115	1,162	1,255	1,162
MEXICO		4,720	5,906	3,600	4,814	413	4,814	510	334	442	334	510	334	442	334
JAMAICA		14,051	13,358	4,426	5,922	1,159	5,922	410	365	280	365	410	365	280	365
LEeward-WINDWARD IS		4,973	7,304	2,942	5,154	622	5,154	1,275	375	915	375	1,275	375	915	375
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		3,492	3,908	3,520	4,507	310	4,507	453	300	564	300	453	300	564	300
VENEZUELA		3,676	16,604	3,794	17,797	163	17,797	3,675	204	4,110	204	3,675	204	4,110	204
USSR		6,335	0	6,726	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRAQ		20,979	3,934	21,437	3,881	0	3,881	0	703	991	703	0	703	991	703
SINGAPORE		7,355	8,889	6,612	8,150	758	8,150	1,037	1,805	1,478	1,805	1,037	1,805	1,478	1,805
HONG KONG		18,282	17,744	14,282	13,923	2,095	13,923	1,878	2,853	4,454	2,853	1,878	2,853	4,454	2,853
JAPAN		25,270	29,485	27,832	35,535	2,557	35,535	3,727	2,959	0	2,959	2,557	2,959	0	2,959
EGYPT		5,530	2,515	5,996	2,408	249	2,408	0	294	638	294	0	294	638	294
CANARY ISLANDS		3,710	4,174	3,327	4,854	34	4,854	520	39	17	39	520	39	17	39
NIGERIA		2,211	4,618	1,748	4,122	133	4,122	1,136	1,362	1,589	1,362	1,136	1,362	1,589	1,362
OTHER		11,359	14,805	13,524	17,110	1,133	17,110	2,028	3,245	3,619	3,245	2,028	3,245	3,619	3,245
POULTRY MEAT, TURKEYS, FRESH, FROZEN	MT	22,952	21,484	26,680	27,723	3,118	27,723	84	100	144	100	84	100	144	100
CANADA		2,333	1,399	2,839	1,770	81	1,770	113	160	373	160	113	160	373	160
UNITED KINGDOM		904	924	2,349	2,599	56	2,599	1,043	1,866	1,723	1,866	1,043	1,866	1,723	1,866
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,274	8,783	10,050	11,564	1,828	11,564	47	42	78	42	1,828	47	78	42
SWITZERLAND		593	543	851	741	29	741	133	121	243	121	29	133	243	121
HONG KONG		1,376	854	1,285	950	147	950	127	23	336	23	147	127	336	23
JAPAN		500	409	692	992	16	992	0	101	45	101	16	0	101	45
TOGO		732	303	738	233	117	233	63	361	677	361	117	63	361	677
NIGERIA		2,782	4,465	2,341	3,636	420	3,636	417	471	677	471	420	417	677	471
OTHER		4,458	3,804	5,534	5,334	425	5,334	2,165	4,179	53,858	4,179	2,165	4,179	53,858	4,179
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MND	22,936	21,896	486,804	500,217	1,926	500,217	81	1,243	1,792	1,243	81	1,243	1,792	1,243
CANADA		846	830	15,131	16,824	64	16,824	64	1,243	1,792	1,243	64	1,243	1,792	1,243

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1978 1/	QUANTITY	1977	1978 1/	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
MEXICO		1,354	1,926	25,043	40,378	168	2,909	154	2,909
FRANCE		862	446	20,153	10,930	85	1,963	41	1,963
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		717	508	13,460	10,494	65	1,158	47	1,158
SPAIN		976	683	17,799	13,611	28	441	7	441
ITALY		1,213	1,053	24,835	22,489	37	621	115	621
ROMANIA		1,422	1,443	26,557	30,037	0	0	127	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		3,299	3,375	82,685	92,462	368	9,555	244	9,555
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		811	868	16,302	18,400	81	1,723	98	1,723
JAPAN		7,809	8,079	169,809	192,065	793	17,435	916	17,435
OTHER		3,627	2,685	75,031	52,527	235	4,749	335	4,749
COTTON, RAW EXCLUDING LINTERS	MT	899,128	1,217,867	1,461,808	1,579,296	39,461	61,597	120,452	153,731
CANADA		38,103	44,388	62,909	57,626	3,305	4,946	3,419	4,946
SWITZERLAND		16,114	23,139	27,160	33,286	1,014	1,713	1,801	1,713
SPAIN		18,535	14,160	32,689	19,308	815	1,257	520	1,257
INDIA		59,515	22	105,081	29	0	0	0	0
BANGLADESH		24,498	12,393	42,760	14,709	0	0	2,447	0
THAILAND		34,476	35,749	54,600	47,545	3,241	4,949	4,196	5,721
INDONESIA		31,460	51,404	52,969	69,369	851	1,557	3,713	1,557
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		0	108,630	0	135,739	0	0	13,036	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		172,053	271,705	271,504	351,997	13,228	20,427	36,353	20,427
HONG KONG		68,438	115,713	102,587	141,724	734	1,027	9,198	1,027
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		87,678	115,341	125,095	137,572	3,533	4,970	10,052	4,970
JAPAN		193,152	235,383	313,939	303,442	8,235	13,113	19,702	13,113
EGYPT		23,950	13,550	46,514	19,711	0	0	0	0
OTHER		131,156	176,291	224,000	247,239	4,505	7,639	16,015	21,752
FRUIT COCKTAIL, CANNEO	MT	36,581	16,586	23,227	11,470	2,096	1,388	324	1,388
CANADA		16,847	7,203	10,832	4,500	998	638	98	638
PANAMA		663	382	489	313	42	35	15	35
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		190	362	152	246	2	3	29	3
SWEDEN		1,807	422	1,095	295	47	37	0	37
NORWAY		1,034	474	632	339	30	20	0	20
NETHERLANDS		736	382	460	254	105	59	0	59
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		786	224	538	142	23	16	0	16
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,060	692	614	437	30	17	0	17
AUSTRIA		1,203	450	695	260	9	5	0	5
SWITZERLAND		2,453	481	1,420	310	29	24	0	24
ISRAEL		821	226	469	131	126	83	4	83
SAUDI ARABIA		507	315	350	253	30	20	4	20
SINGAPORE		1,238	491	748	375	4	3	6	3
HONG KONG		1,427	380	909	258	49	33	4	33
JAPAN		1,511	1,511	1,163	1,468	78	54	47	54
OTHER		4,094	2,591	2,663	1,888	495	340	122	340
PEACHES, CANNEO	MT	48,507	76,187	25,521	38,683	3,280	1,653	7,262	4,067
CANADA		18,960	21,565	10,336	11,843	2,116	1,082	3,481	2,021

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.
FRANCE		27,004	36,034	6,811	8,006	336	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		2,406	5,203	570	1,305	65	69	69	13	13	13	24	24	13	24
JAPAN		147,720	119,663	34,243	32,501	1,814	3,947	3,947	533	533	533	1,675	1,675	533	1,675
OTHER		9,747	7,114	2,409	1,937	953	403	403	228	228	228	134	134	228	134
GRAPES, FRESH	MT	58,435	78,867	36,301	49,729	7,726	7,785	7,785	6,306	6,306	6,306	5,978	5,978	6,306	5,978
CANADA		45,246	58,582	26,245	32,625	5,627	5,765	5,765	4,386	4,386	4,386	4,061	4,061	4,386	4,061
SWEDEN		825	1,867	546	1,419	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		120	1,243	102	1,042	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE		1,375	1,619	1,115	1,399	364	245	245	334	334	334	234	234	334	234
INDONESIA		1,294	1,265	934	1,102	377	187	187	289	289	289	181	181	289	181
HONG KONG		4,075	4,595	3,569	4,488	1,000	1,142	1,142	1,001	1,001	1,001	1,149	1,149	1,001	1,149
JAPAN		615	1,289	552	1,256	8	0	0	8	8	8	0	0	8	0
OTHER		4,886	8,407	3,237	6,398	348	446	446	287	287	287	354	354	287	354
LEMONS AND LIMES, FRESH	MT	225,655	200,241	72,619	81,999	18,770	25,905	25,905	6,930	6,930	6,930	16,918	16,918	6,930	16,918
CANADA		16,387	16,214	6,355	7,346	1,544	1,510	1,510	741	741	741	955	955	741	955
NETHERLANDS		9,532	5,689	2,494	1,549	348	17	17	88	88	88	6	6	88	6
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		8,012	5,420	1,834	1,469	208	17	17	47	47	47	6	6	47	6
FRANCE		23,223	14,872	5,314	3,914	764	64	64	178	178	178	24	24	178	24
GERMAN DEM.REPUBLIC		7,734	3,925	1,624	1,037	884	1,572	1,572	169	169	169	388	388	169	388
POLAND		20,123	17,216	4,211	4,261	4,050	2,453	2,453	777	777	777	609	609	777	609
USSR		13,135	11,450	2,882	2,790	0	2,083	2,083	0	0	0	516	516	2,083	516
HONG KONG		3,575	3,561	1,427	1,724	278	369	369	126	126	126	346	346	126	346
JAPAN		101,406	105,815	41,296	53,334	9,199	15,373	15,373	4,477	4,477	4,477	13,433	13,433	4,477	13,433
OTHER		22,528	16,078	5,181	4,575	1,484	2,447	2,447	326	326	326	635	635	326	635
ORANGES, TANGERINES, CLEMENTINES, FRESH	MT	396,895	340,198	110,536	130,691	31,790	27,911	27,911	10,043	10,043	10,043	13,056	13,056	10,043	13,056
CANADA		179,522	157,421	51,003	55,695	7,760	6,395	6,395	2,728	2,728	2,728	2,986	2,986	2,728	2,986
UNITED KINGDOM		15,180	4,056	3,291	1,196	1,403	9	9	383	383	383	2	2	383	2
NETHERLANDS		28,812	19,313	7,377	6,604	5,223	3,195	3,195	1,448	1,448	1,448	1,397	1,397	1,448	1,397
SINGAPORE		14,096	9,479	3,725	3,652	984	1,332	1,332	272	272	272	589	589	272	589
HONG KONG		93,194	77,412	27,497	34,535	9,087	10,641	10,641	3,026	3,026	3,026	4,967	4,967	3,026	4,967
JAPAN		20,988	44,998	6,771	19,449	1,701	3,965	3,965	570	570	570	2,049	2,049	570	2,049
OTHER		45,102	27,519	10,874	9,538	5,632	2,375	2,375	1,576	1,576	1,576	1,066	1,066	1,576	1,066
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	MLTR	27,273	34,047	14,571	17,166	2,317	2,769	2,769	1,326	1,326	1,326	1,468	1,468	1,326	1,468
CANADA		14,976	18,410	6,983	8,947	1,134	2,033	2,033	546	546	546	961	961	546	961
BAHAMAS		1,732	814	775	353	201	18	18	85	85	85	44	44	85	44
UNITED KINGDOM		1,546	3,072	1,342	1,479	1	79	79	2	2	2	18	18	2	18
NETHERLANDS		1,282	1,335	853	627	189	52	52	140	140	140	45	45	140	45
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		916	2,220	620	1,055	139	54	54	114	114	114	280	280	114	280
JAPAN		781	1,347	737	1,380	153	298	298	122	122	122	318	318	122	318
OTHER		6,040	6,849	3,240	3,325	501	235	235	318	318	318	111	111	318	111
ORANGE JUICE	MLTR	106,257	154,011	87,406	90,135	7,545	14,329	14,329	7,450	7,450	7,450	7,362	7,362	7,450	7,362
CANADA		54,136	91,806	44,108	48,835	4,303	8,351	8,351	4,183	4,183	4,183	4,008	4,008	4,183	4,008

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
SWEDEN		7,915	11,248	8,018	4,914	259	2,323	2,323	293	808					
NETHERLANDS		8,368	6,005	6,821	4,712	208	536	536	190	215					
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		5,249	7,319	4,624	3,738				830	124					
OTHER		30,589	37,633	23,836	27,937	2,154	2,939	2,939	1,954	2,207					
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MT	123,895	129,144	215,360	277,187	9,319	12,243	12,243	17,441	24,993					
UNITED KINGDOM		8,022	8,693	14,829	19,357	666	795	795	1,386	1,940					
FRANCE		6,932	7,637	10,956	15,789	654	863	863	1,152	1,940					
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		38,992	39,337	64,240	84,018	3,457	4,768	4,768	6,024	8,609					
USSR		13,547	9,281	23,719	22,453	224	325	325	469	785					
JAPAN		23,192	23,343	41,392	48,905	2,422	2,949	2,949	4,625	6,092					
OTHER		33,188	40,853	58,225	86,665	1,895	2,544	2,544	3,785	5,524					
WALNUTS, UNSHELLED BASIS	MT	53,303	62,755	40,397	48,032	881	1,508	1,508	647	1,497					
CANADA		6,310	2,843	3,444	2,043	53	69	69	27	32					
UNITED KINGDOM		4,050	2,589	2,176	1,348	174	90	90	96	107					
NETHERLANDS		1,649	5,936	1,385	3,020	0	133	133	0	84					
FRANCE		854	5,344	679	4,975	25	37	37	16	47					
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		10,720	12,590	8,602	12,782	35	527	527	40	754					
SPAIN		11,273	5,952	11,195	5,577	10	17	17	6	13					
ITALY		6,133	6,041	4,073	5,687	0	0	0	0	0					
OTHER		12,314	12,459	8,599	12,600	583	634	634	462	460					
FEED GRAINS	MT	46,482,837	50,797,448	4,984,022	5,217,821	3,708,493	5,153,344	5,153,344	330,442	531,056					
MEXICO		1,763,259	1,826,904	186,633	198,064	280,884	478,719	478,719	29,048	54,388					
UNITED KINGDOM		2,778,119	1,833,489	286,161	176,397	269,380	252,621	252,621	21,850	23,424					
NETHERLANDS		4,274,770	2,532,204	459,327	255,924	272,506	274,371	274,371	25,901	28,107					
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		2,243,947	1,522,017	234,247	156,329	103,061	360,829	360,829	7,919	35,305					
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		5,276,022	2,548,174	584,863	253,719	284,702	234,400	234,400	24,595	23,749					
POLAND		1,091,051	2,105,934	114,208	208,798	30,780	210,362	210,362	2,678	22,468					
USSR		2,906,638	10,003,263	332,518	1,054,390	15,986	668,065	668,065	1,737	69,902					
SPAIN		1,227,883	1,805,868	130,502	189,873	41,459	40,468	40,468	3,326	4,293					
PORTUGAL		1,877,850	1,659,705	194,320	167,569	151,721	89,541	89,541	12,123	9,298					
ITALY		2,258,603	1,965,509	242,957	209,213	137,772	300,674	300,674	11,601	28,712					
GREECE		939,277	960,723	102,544	96,003	121,871	115,062	115,062	11,195	13,115					
ISRAEL		971,848	993,097	101,186	95,818	58,071	146,095	146,095	5,929	15,404					
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,370,974	1,616,369	142,871	172,483	260,067	88,775	88,775	23,125	9,783					
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,092,425	1,527,795	119,349	160,921	122,829	183,354	183,354	11,642	19,458					
JAPAN		9,300,997	10,121,290	1,007,859	1,040,867	752,408	737,464	737,464	70,013	80,823					
OTHER		1,815,233	2,572,172	167,134	240,827	273,092	440,534	440,534	19,606	39,672					
UNDTF CTRY-CAN T/S		5,293,943	5,202,935	577,322	540,637	531,904	531,110	531,110	49,153	53,155					
BARLEY	MT	1,637,760	768,562	186,178	74,166	133,878	107,318	107,318	12,566	11,026					
MEXICO		2,379	21,082	602	2,928	7	10,875	10,875	1	1,556					
COLOMBIA		40,438	0	5,544	0	10,500	0	10,500	1,425	0					
DENMARK		106,805	0	12,297	0	0	0	0	0	0					
UNITED KINGDOM		127,258	0	15,459	0	0	0	0	0	0					

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/
			1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.		1,000 OOL.
NETHERLANDS		67,459	0	7,895	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		121,531	0	16,211	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		39,154	3,499	22,356	3,499	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMAN DEM.REPUBLIC		37,799	5,192	4,557	5,192	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POLAND		0	11,843	0	11,843	0	11,843	0	11,843	0	11,843	0	11,843	0	11,843
ITALY		96,087	10,395	17,897	10,395	0	10,395	0	10,395	0	10,395	0	10,395	0	10,395
CYPRUS		53,513	31,599	6,104	31,599	0	31,599	0	31,599	0	31,599	0	31,599	0	31,599
IRAQ		57,338	60,097	6,132	60,097	0	60,097	0	60,097	0	60,097	0	60,097	0	60,097
IRAN		121,626	34,186	14,171	34,186	0	34,186	0	34,186	0	34,186	0	34,186	0	34,186
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		155,951	126,345	16,641	126,345	0	126,345	0	126,345	0	126,345	0	126,345	0	126,345
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		14,000	117,427	1,582	117,427	0	117,427	0	117,427	0	117,427	0	117,427	0	117,427
JAPAN		65,484	39,933	8,152	39,933	0	39,933	0	39,933	0	39,933	0	39,933	0	39,933
ALGERIA		77,324	16,450	7,778	16,450	0	16,450	0	16,450	0	16,450	0	16,450	0	16,450
TUNISIA		46,031	31,496	3,983	31,496	0	31,496	0	31,496	0	31,496	0	31,496	0	31,496
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		149,831	34,537	14,907	34,537	0	34,537	0	34,537	0	34,537	0	34,537	0	34,537
OTHER		94,238	32,057	9,909	32,057	0	32,057	0	32,057	0	32,057	0	32,057	0	32,057
OATS	MT	82,235	218,079	9,616	218,079	0	218,079	0	218,079	0	218,079	0	218,079	0	218,079
JAMAICA		1,223	1,010	245	1,010	0	1,010	0	1,010	0	1,010	0	1,010	0	1,010
VENEZUELA		4,819	3,187	717	3,187	0	3,187	0	3,187	0	3,187	0	3,187	0	3,187
NETHERLANDS		14,362	24,997	1,692	24,997	0	24,997	0	24,997	0	24,997	0	24,997	0	24,997
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		0	7,915	0	7,915	0	7,915	0	7,915	0	7,915	0	7,915	0	7,915
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		25,053	119,090	2,701	119,090	0	119,090	0	119,090	0	119,090	0	119,090	0	119,090
GERMAN DEM.REPUBLIC		0	6,096	0	6,096	0	6,096	0	6,096	0	6,096	0	6,096	0	6,096
HUNGARY		0	11,336	0	11,336	0	11,336	0	11,336	0	11,336	0	11,336	0	11,336
SWITZERLAND		2,059	4,935	245	4,935	0	4,935	0	4,935	0	4,935	0	4,935	0	4,935
ITALY		11,118	0	806	0	0	806	0	806	0	806	0	806	0	806
JAPAN		21,253	24,370	2,878	24,370	0	24,370	0	24,370	0	24,370	0	24,370	0	24,370
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		1,387	7,789	150	7,789	0	7,789	0	7,789	0	7,789	0	7,789	0	7,789
OTHER		960	7,346	182	7,346	0	7,346	0	7,346	0	7,346	0	7,346	0	7,346
CORN, EXCEPT SEED	MT	38,970,809	44,637,069	4,194,120	44,637,069	0	44,637,069	0	44,637,069	0	44,637,069	0	44,637,069	0	44,637,069
MEXICO		1,093,119	1,427,634	119,340	1,427,634	0	1,427,634	0	1,427,634	0	1,427,634	0	1,427,634	0	1,427,634
UNITED KINGDOM		2,597,256	1,833,234	265,417	1,833,234	0	1,833,234	0	1,833,234	0	1,833,234	0	1,833,234	0	1,833,234
NETHERLANDS		4,035,953	2,500,497	433,961	2,500,497	0	2,500,497	0	2,500,497	0	2,500,497	0	2,500,497	0	2,500,497
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,794,534	1,427,050	184,742	1,427,050	0	1,427,050	0	1,427,050	0	1,427,050	0	1,427,050	0	1,427,050
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		5,058,300	2,389,930	559,806	2,389,930	0	2,389,930	0	2,389,930	0	2,389,930	0	2,389,930	0	2,389,930
POLAND		998,400	1,607,956	104,777	1,607,956	0	1,607,956	0	1,607,956	0	1,607,956	0	1,607,956	0	1,607,956
USSR		2,905,528	10,003,263	332,511	10,003,263	0	10,003,263	0	10,003,263	0	10,003,263	0	10,003,263	0	10,003,263
SPAIN		1,011,804	1,548,071	109,378	1,548,071	0	1,548,071	0	1,548,071	0	1,548,071	0	1,548,071	0	1,548,071
PORTUGAL		1,450,795	1,401,596	154,803	1,401,596	0	1,401,596	0	1,401,596	0	1,401,596	0	1,401,596	0	1,401,596
ITALY		2,150,966	1,955,086	230,225	1,955,086	0	1,955,086	0	1,955,086	0	1,955,086	0	1,955,086	0	1,955,086
GREECE		939,277	960,723	102,544	960,723	0	960,723	0	960,723	0	960,723	0	960,723	0	960,723
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,205,023	1,490,016	126,230	1,490,016	0	1,490,016	0	1,490,016	0	1,490,016	0	1,490,016	0	1,490,016
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		1,078,425	1,348,419	117,767	1,348,419	0	1,348,419	0	1,348,419	0	1,348,419	0	1,348,419	0	1,348,419
JAPAN		7,013,327	7,701,082	763,797	7,701,082	0	7,701,082	0	7,701,082	0	7,701,082	0	7,701,082	0	7,701,082
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		1,664,015	2,525,847	152,077	2,525,847	0	2,525,847	0	2,525,847	0	2,525,847	0	2,525,847	0	2,525,847
OTHER		3,973,087	4,516,665	436,726	4,516,665	0	4,516,665	0	4,516,665	0	4,516,665	0	4,516,665	0	4,516,665

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
GRAIN SORGHUMS, EXCEPT SEED																	
MEXICO	MT	5,792,033	5,173,737	594,109	500,709	481,248	398,599	41,775	39,986	481,248	398,599	41,775	39,986	481,248	398,599	41,775	39,986
VENEZUELA		667,708	374,069	64,682	39,721	75,494	102,945	6,664	10,808	75,494	102,945	6,664	10,808	75,494	102,945	6,664	10,808
NORWAY		322,067	234,975	36,024	26,132	88,208	23,992	8,509	2,144	88,208	23,992	8,509	2,144	88,208	23,992	8,509	2,144
NETHERLANDS		191,573	126,705	20,428	12,053	32,570	0	2,808	0	32,570	0	2,808	0	32,570	0	2,808	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		156,996	6,710	15,780	653	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POLAND		327,882	87,052	34,296	7,916	0	33,169	0	2,889	0	33,169	0	2,889	0	33,169	0	2,889
SPAIN		92,651	383,307	9,430	38,529	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PORTUGAL		216,058	257,797	21,123	23,347	41,459	0	3,326	0	41,459	0	3,326	0	41,459	0	3,326	0
ROMANIA		427,055	255,358	39,517	23,016	31,642	0	2,056	0	31,642	0	2,056	0	31,642	0	2,056	0
ISRAEL		134,834	122,766	14,477	12,025	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		676,493	633,939	67,951	57,802	33,424	120,777	3,319	12,392	33,424	120,777	3,319	12,392	33,424	120,777	3,319	12,392
OTHER		2,200,934	2,355,905	234,032	226,305	135,052	107,282	11,225	10,686	135,052	107,282	11,225	10,686	135,052	107,282	11,225	10,686
		377,781	335,154	36,368	33,210	43,395	10,433	3,869	1,068	43,395	10,433	3,869	1,068	43,395	10,433	3,869	1,068
RICE																	
CANADA	MT	2,017,063	1,873,773	619,206	742,806	230,302	147,088	67,199	70,859	230,302	147,088	67,199	70,859	230,302	147,088	67,199	70,859
NETHERLANDS		72,637	69,827	20,894	25,506	5,295	4,930	1,578	1,988	5,295	4,930	1,578	1,988	5,295	4,930	1,578	1,988
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		51,512	19,121	13,957	6,196	2,980	231	873	143	2,980	231	873	143	2,980	231	873	143
USSR		59,413	64,121	18,579	26,998	4,363	5,767	1,314	2,603	4,363	5,767	1,314	2,603	4,363	5,767	1,314	2,603
PORTUGAL		54,923	29,716	14,233	10,962	0	3,150	0	986	0	3,150	0	986	0	3,150	0	986
IRAQ		63,643	27,170	17,942	9,574	1,000	14,744	29	5,516	1,000	14,744	29	5,516	1,000	14,744	29	5,516
IRAN		47,723	71,879	13,811	30,947	10,764	0	2,369	0	10,764	0	2,369	0	10,764	0	2,369	0
SAUDI ARABIA		471,218	317,113	151,183	129,351	14,863	18,658	4,885	7,622	14,863	18,658	4,885	7,622	14,863	18,658	4,885	7,622
INDONESIA		68,530	179,973	28,418	104,638	9,296	28,127	4,110	19,252	9,296	28,127	4,110	19,252	9,296	28,127	4,110	19,252
NIGERIA		350,633	395,497	86,905	131,082	56,991	6,913	15,011	1,933	56,991	6,913	15,011	1,933	56,991	6,913	15,011	1,933
LIBERIA		131,435	161,100	68,509	90,159	9,183	23,114	4,412	13,197	9,183	23,114	4,412	13,197	9,183	23,114	4,412	13,197
REP. SOUTH AFRICA		52,470	38,824	13,661	10,386	4,638	7,787	1,314	2,207	4,638	7,787	1,314	2,207	4,638	7,787	1,314	2,207
OTHER		83,221	69,051	28,710	26,659	502	14,142	160	5,842	502	14,142	160	5,842	502	14,142	160	5,842
		509,708	430,382	142,404	140,348	110,427	19,525	31,144	9,568	110,427	19,525	31,144	9,568	110,427	19,525	31,144	9,568
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS																	
VENEZUELA	MT	27,260,909	30,182,702	2,730,005	3,683,442	2,643,728	3,779,905	271,005	488,215	2,643,728	3,779,905	271,005	488,215	2,643,728	3,779,905	271,005	488,215
CHILE		573,363	650,463	74,675	83,372	58,421	70,668	5,933	9,261	58,421	70,668	5,933	9,261	58,421	70,668	5,933	9,261
BRAZIL		382,392	720,417	45,006	88,386	61,759	191,866	5,783	24,953	61,759	191,866	5,783	24,953	61,759	191,866	5,783	24,953
NETHERLANDS		516,877	2,668,323	56,747	318,676	96,164	132,959	9,017	17,690	96,164	132,959	9,017	17,690	96,164	132,959	9,017	17,690
POLAND		413,411	778,018	48,331	93,212	69,682	85,699	6,840	10,319	69,682	85,699	6,840	10,319	69,682	85,699	6,840	10,319
USSR		584,987	578,283	57,426	66,815	195,949	240,973	17,191	28,609	195,949	240,973	17,191	28,609	195,949	240,973	17,191	28,609
IRAN		2,886,537	3,392,585	430,749	410,455	104,541	439,702	16,364	51,082	104,541	439,702	16,364	51,082	104,541	439,702	16,364	51,082
ISRAEL		1,059,613	1,078,690	114,180	132,238	70,085	138,562	7,745	19,051	70,085	138,562	7,745	19,051	70,085	138,562	7,745	19,051
INDIA		473,445	400,094	57,726	45,832	88,440	79,478	9,221	10,421	88,440	79,478	9,221	10,421	88,440	79,478	9,221	10,421
PAKISTAN		683,711	394,289	94,058	55,918	3,344	34,610	476	5,845	3,344	34,610	476	5,845	3,344	34,610	476	5,845
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		171,977	811,539	20,702	99,517	0	183,341	0	25,009	0	183,341	0	25,009	0	183,341	0	25,009
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		0	674,196	0	87,447	0	234,692	0	30,441	0	234,692	0	30,441	0	234,692	0	30,441
JAPAN		1,702,727	1,428,706	203,846	172,594	131,662	142,693	14,808	19,421	131,662	142,693	14,808	19,421	131,662	142,693	14,808	19,421
MOROCCO		3,019,199	2,807,924	362,673	347,268	324,359	284,643	34,610	38,874	324,359	284,643	34,610	38,874	324,359	284,643	34,610	38,874
ALGERIA		236,588	841,236	29,939	94,781	5,331	97,485	814	12,101	5,331	97,485	814	12,101	5,331	97,485	814	12,101
EGYPT		334,289	636,725	35,263	80,982	116,981	108,980	10,537	11,400	116,981	108,980	10,537	11,400	116,981	108,980	10,537	11,400
		1,786,908	1,694,791	191,538	201,400	112,464	109,980	9,865	14,221	112,464	109,980	9,865	14,221	112,464	109,980	9,865	14,221

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.
NIGERIA		623,613	773,990	86,133	92,730	56,384	78,264								
UNONTFO CTRY-CAN T/S		412,360	1,504,141	40,340	177,410	191,151	374,467								
OTHER		6,398,912	8,339,293	778,674	1,034,408	957,009	780,678								
WHEAT	MT	20,755,043	28,557,279	2,516,631	3,449,676	2,542,808	3,590,300								
VENEZUELA		572,709	659,274	74,300	83,351	58,380	70,461								
CHILE		367,745	709,926	42,517	86,893	61,116	191,447								
BRAZIL		515,581	2,647,781	56,459	318,557	96,164	132,959								
NETHERLANDS		411,019	776,053	47,927	92,903	69,551	85,693								
POLAND		584,987	578,283	57,426	66,815	195,949	240,973								
USSR		2,886,537	3,392,585	430,749	410,455	104,541	439,702								
IRAN		1,059,538	1,078,628	116,107	132,185	70,085	138,562								
ISRAEL		464,547	390,472	56,605	44,619	87,379	79,203								
INDIA		522,541	111,604	67,048	11,876	0	0								
PAKISTAN		171,965	811,538	20,698	99,516	0	183,341								
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		0	674,196	0	87,447	0	234,692								
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,702,683	1,428,614	203,829	172,560	131,660	142,693								
JAPAN		3,018,870	2,806,865	362,525	347,115	324,342	284,631								
MOROCCO		204,610	806,307	24,678	89,270	0	93,825								
ALGERIA		327,284	626,923	34,399	79,866	116,981	80,145								
EGYPT		1,387,488	1,236,325	145,247	143,401	102,595	49,378								
NIGERIA		623,551	712,803	86,121	83,676	56,384	66,491								
UNONTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		412,360	1,504,141	40,340	177,410	191,151	374,467								
OTHER		5,152,027	7,584,961	649,657	921,742	876,529	701,437								
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	1,227,748	1,256,586	164,529	175,235	93,331	139,463								
CANADA		54,885	5,054	7,145	521	3,690	65								
JAMAICA		20,830	59,165	3,749	8,001	1,950	3,962								
SAUDI ARABIA		250,394	248,998	42,307	39,818	19,672	23,945								
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		277,306	183,837	32,960	24,560	40,332	28,755								
MOROCCO		31,978	34,929	5,261	5,511	5,333	3,660								
EGYPT		394,645	452,086	45,649	57,136	9,888	59,602								
SUDAN		13,674	33,067	1,470	4,321	5	0								
NIGERIA		56	61,150	9	9,042	0	11,772								
OTHER		183,980	179,299	27,978	26,324	12,481	7,701								
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED, SUNCURED, ETC.	MT	469,304	415,067	56,840	40,628	43,617	65,744								
CANADA		11,246	21,323	768	1,477	632	1,884								
NETHERLANDS		54,013	7,798	7,195	584	9,031	2,264								
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		132,048	108,937	16,338	11,421	10,823	16,399								
JAPAN		257,150	269,803	30,411	26,242	22,920	43,472								
OTHER		14,847	7,205	2,127	903	210	1,724								
OTL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	4,041,361	5,546,458	908,738	1,088,608	262,778	484,383								
CANADA		315,029	447,739	77,005	72,729	20,644	34,840								
MEXICO		193,084	52,750	57,577	12,829	21,237	938								
VENEZUELA		98,692	125,664	19,075	28,360	40,447	21,078								

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
NETHERLANDS		526,354	618,496	120,939	120,669	40,113		48,097	6,946			9,596	
FRANCE		130,989	134,917	21,840	27,155	0		10,150	0			2,381	
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		945,325	1,054,849	225,335	201,783	49,451		60,438	11,377			11,101	
HUNGARY		38,222	120,128	9,658	26,162	0		0	0			0	
POLAND		266,668	573,638	58,149	115,975	40		121,726	16			24,743	
SPAIN		143,976	208,418	27,764	42,176	10,792		49,205	2,141			10,643	
ITALY		380,656	655,448	77,531	127,828	22,713		40,007	4,363			7,835	
YUGOSLAVIA		95,191	113,085	20,268	22,395	118		0	71			0	
IRAN		21,140	117,764	6,234	22,941	0		15,450	0			3,406	
JAPAN		210,413	280,674	44,728	57,151	19,360		9,646	4,209			2,482	
OTHER		675,621	1,032,888	142,634	210,454	37,863		72,808	8,866			15,243	
SOYBEAN OILCAKE AND MEAL	MT	3,924,175	5,261,946	882,414	1,040,606	250,475		426,907	55,562			90,678	
CANADA		310,004	438,481	75,468	70,253	20,297		34,547	5,294			7,822	
MEXICO		190,202	56,892	12,235	12,235	21,205		555	6,434			93	
VENEZUELA		96,458	114,200	19,053	25,899	40,447		15,543	8,513			3,616	
NETHERLANDS		508,054	588,701	117,315	115,672	40,096		43,803	6,925			8,957	
FRANCE		130,970	134,366	21,832	26,980	0		10,150	0			2,381	
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		907,789	994,205	218,851	194,044	45,598		50,326	10,778			9,947	
HUNGARY		38,222	120,128	9,658	26,162	0		0	0			0	
POLAND		256,682	480,719	56,412	100,555	0		96,337	0			20,428	
SPAIN		143,330	208,009	27,000	41,996	10,792		49,205	2,141			10,643	
ITALY		380,640	654,611	77,522	127,582	22,713		40,007	4,363			7,835	
YUGOSLAVIA		94,998	113,067	20,103	22,383	118		0	71			0	
IRAN		20,986	117,722	6,134	22,907	0		15,450	0			3,406	
JAPAN		208,519	271,282	43,867	55,647	19,053		8,086	4,059			2,067	
OTHER		637,319	969,563	131,954	198,291	30,157		62,899	6,984			13,464	
FLAXSEED	MT	203	25,677	57	5,546	0		0	0			0	
NETHERLANDS		0	16,975	0	3,582	0		0	0			0	
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		0	482	0	118	0		0	0			0	
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		113	125	44	28	0		0	0			0	
POLAND		0	R.001	0	1,800	0		0	0			0	
UNIDENTIFIED CTRY-CAN T/S		90	29	13	3	0		0	0			0	
OTHER		0	65	0	15	0		0	0			0	
SOYBEANS	MT	14,747,639	18,653,066	4,192,962	4,486,406	492,305		1,069,211	133,369			271,814	
CANADA		430,270	247,914	120,293	58,990	49,194		43,055	10,628			10,597	
MEXICO		377,113	502,981	103,047	125,730	4,000		39,990	1,342			10,061	
DENMARK		306,468	409,172	89,663	96,211	14,061		0	4,262			0	
UNITED KINGDOM		389,732	622,685	115,357	150,562	0		62,461	0			15,407	
NETHERLANDS		2,895,355	4,015,428	826,654	962,040	96,172		188,366	25,771			45,686	
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		410,611	475,343	119,389	111,868	0		47,897	0			11,702	
FRANCE		460,414	572,533	127,824	134,630	0		30,581	0			7,753	
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		1,494,491	1,449,392	421,190	337,532	0		92,185	0			26,074	
USSR		825,377	744,180	218,689	199,738	0		637	0			157	
SPAIN		1,029,731	1,532,049	288,946	362,499	0		49,876	0			13,058	

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
ITALY		798,167	853,852	234,412	203,277	0	15,242	0	3,544	0	3,544	0	3,544
ISRAEL		361,813	418,172	104,464	98,748	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		676,072	799,192	196,364	189,583	27,856	24,596	27,856	10,061	24,596	10,061	27,856	6,298
JAPAN		2,999,117	3,565,135	868,618	863,277	205,408	215,456	205,408	57,414	215,456	57,414	205,408	56,303
UNDTF CTRY-CAN T/S		335,278	594,426	85,251	145,840	53,226	43,468	53,226	11,315	43,468	11,315	53,226	10,602
OTHER		957,630	1,846,612	272,800	446,083	42,387	215,403	42,387	12,577	215,403	12,577	42,387	54,530
COTTONSEED OIL	MT	283,373	306,808	159,089	181,000	23,829	22,698	23,829	14,991	22,698	14,991	23,829	11,894
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		2,037	6,105	1,329	3,807	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VENEZUELA		32,445	30,240	17,525	22,109	2,563	452	2,563	1,621	452	1,621	2,563	313
NETHERLANDS		9,929	2,042	5,420	1,256	0	501	0	0	501	0	0	350
IRAN		20,135	22,005	12,684	14,096	10,534	0	10,534	6,215	0	6,215	10,534	0
PAKISTAN		0	10,431	0	6,934	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		18,614	23,785	11,298	13,541	1,181	2,034	1,181	760	2,034	760	1,181	1,128
EGYPT		172,079	181,475	93,903	105,640	7,667	19,055	7,667	5,024	19,055	5,024	7,667	9,654
OTHER		28,133	21,725	16,929	13,616	1,883	655	1,883	1,372	655	1,372	1,883	449
SOYBEAN OIL	MT	671,962	842,179	396,085	480,760	32,732	52,265	32,732	21,025	52,265	21,025	32,732	33,513
CANADA		23,377	25,883	13,510	14,356	2,536	2,304	2,536	1,548	2,304	1,548	2,536	1,396
MEXICO		15,344	29,550	10,381	17,789	0	5,794	0	0	5,794	0	0	3,541
HAITI		15,098	11,113	9,029	6,703	931	2,391	931	611	2,391	611	931	1,545
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,751	17,652	2,630	9,918	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
COLOMBIA		24,548	42,555	12,998	23,654	3,452	7,236	3,452	2,013	7,236	2,013	3,452	4,073
ECUADOR		12,730	24,273	6,944	13,304	1,979	1,508	1,979	1,207	1,508	1,207	1,979	911
PERU		51,826	63,594	29,523	34,567	5,610	8,168	5,610	2,833	8,168	2,833	5,610	5,247
CHILE		11,896	21,805	6,014	13,996	1,154	8,397	1,154	772	8,397	772	1,154	5,200
IRAN		72,262	39,227	45,261	21,859	2	17	2	2	17	2	2	20
INDIA		252,178	217,971	147,858	127,463	7,067	1,591	7,067	5,901	1,591	5,901	7,067	1,396
PAKISTAN		119,214	95,814	68,881	56,050	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BANGLADESH		0	23,233	0	13,226	0	6,484	0	3,941	6,484	3,941	0	3,941
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		0	105,996	0	54,415	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		18,020	18,754	10,319	10,601	1,630	44	1,630	919	44	919	1,630	31
OTHER		50,718	104,760	32,715	62,858	8,372	8,331	8,372	5,220	8,331	5,220	8,372	6,172
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	259,627	253,456	946,313	1,052,072	21,549	23,986	21,549	78,184	23,986	78,184	21,549	107,524
DENMARK		7,962	5,113	24,005	17,770	41	261	41	78	261	78	41	1,168
UNITED KINGDOM		23,768	38,194	84,109	153,734	1,219	5,144	1,219	5,208	5,144	5,208	1,219	21,035
NETHERLANDS		10,710	10,374	36,899	40,642	1,909	1,713	1,909	6,848	1,713	6,848	1,909	6,989
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		35,103	21,985	113,745	82,552	3,880	3,017	3,880	12,952	3,017	12,952	3,880	11,820
SWITZERLAND		10,824	10,419	34,604	38,314	1,696	1,509	1,696	6,571	1,509	6,571	1,696	7,172
SPAIN		3,264	6,343	11,882	26,250	609	1,302	609	2,031	1,302	2,031	609	5,363
ITALY		18,180	18,811	64,058	78,686	1,253	718	1,253	4,778	718	4,778	1,253	2,968
THAILAND		10,186	8,257	39,889	34,651	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES		5,398	5,853	24,343	27,137	1,445	727	1,445	5,889	727	5,889	1,445	3,057
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		4,458	4,469	21,157	25,207	1	3,363	1	4	3,363	4	1	18,719
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		7,460	9,303	27,539	40,982	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		46,423	51,424	180,163	226,950	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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		76/77	77/78	76/77	77/78	1,000 OOL.	1,000 OOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1978 1/	VALUE	1977	1,000 OOL.	1978 1/	VALUE
MEXICO		3,827	4,486	1,873	2,163			467		408		1,000	237	408	237
PANAMA		2,263	1,426	1,693	1,124			198		112			208	89	243
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		2,309	2,008	1,768	1,425			547		132			163	157	157
VENEZUELA		2,970	3,549	2,076	3,000			177		35			360	110	360
UNITED KINGDOM		2,657	3,829	2,074	2,933			340		435			147	30	147
FRANCE		3,663	4,548	1,896	2,739			264		219			177	227	177
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		21,837	5,896	8,713	2,986			34		119			21	74	21
SWITZERLAND		1,715	3,128	926	4,751			389		150			328	158	328
SAUDI ARABIA		3,828	6,067	3,083	3,324			422		213			281	169	281
HONG KONG		6,266	5,353	3,840	5,260			467		235			354	252	354
JAPAN		8,418	7,937	5,445	13,917			2,053		1,592			1,407	1,074	1,407
OTHER		24,988	18,498	106,757	103,906			11,035		19,534			4,306	8,093	4,306
PULSES	MT	270,610	222,410	4,877	7,588			891		1,123			309	477	309
CANADA		11,586	16,995	1,614	2,325			554		1,375			184	377	184
MEXICO		5,860	7,772	3,435	735			1,393		1,940			562	816	562
COLOMBIA		9,859	1,888	10,393	4,735			1,190		4,445			514	1,953	514
VENEZUELA		27,431	10,322	15,469	27,888			720		171			295	83	295
UNITED KINGDOM		36,703	53,993	4,362	3,117			449		887			186	490	186
NETHERLANDS		14,288	18,985	5,253	2,082			204		332			90	148	90
FRANCE		10,454	6,254	2,521	2,498			35		427			23	186	23
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		11,895	4,176	3,112	4,320			517		527			207	231	207
SPAIN		5,895	4,329	2,431	607			18		0			7	0	0
ITALY		6,969	8,186	1,156	2,431			0		1,133			0	467	0
GREECE		5,588	1,156	1,928	5,665			696		1,873			135	576	135
IRAN		5,001	10,132	9,638	11,862			0		0			0	0	0
JAPAN		33,502	17,149	10,184	21,297			3,712		4,174			1,536	1,813	1,536
ALGERIA		20,026	20,197	27,072	83,873			8,583		14,258			3,217	5,929	3,217
OTHER		65,553	40,875	65,372	4,305			790		1,103			266	472	266
BEANS, ORIO	MT	172,592	181,677	1,442	2,221			506		1,359			153	366	153
CANADA		10,072	15,677	4,958	2,330			871		814			341	370	341
MEXICO		5,476	7,618	1,500	46			201		0			39	0	39
VENEZUELA		12,693	4,696	10,533	26,802			1,106		4,234			477	1,888	477
BRAZIL		4,064	388	2,933	4,166			720		100			295	50	295
UNITED KINGDOM		24,586	51,323	4,177	2,847			449		869			186	481	186
NETHERLANDS		11,596	18,596	3,435	1,763			168		156			176	63	176
FRANCE		10,057	5,803	2,449	3,445			411		260			157	94	157
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		8,360	6,372	1,467	3,213			611		1,133			0	467	0
ITALY		5,414	6,725	7,489	4,377			0		1,507			114	483	114
IRAN		4,009	13,544	2,640	10,874			0		0			0	0	0
JAPAN		26,488	19,206	2,121	14,788			0		0			0	0	0
ALGERIA		6,095	0	15,925	24,477			2,749		2,725			1,113	1,195	1,113
ANGOLA		5,020	38,952	33,258	1,025			2,050		3,518			849	1,263	849
OTHER		38,952	1,127	24,477	381			55		20			21	5	21
PEAS, INCLUDING COW AND CHICK, ORIO	MT	64,584	33,258	24,477	14,699			2,050		3,518			849	1,263	849
CANADA		1,127	1,025	381	425			55		20			21	5	21

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	76/77	77/78 1/	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
COSTA RICA		1,404	62	494	32	9	3	39	17	3	1	39	17
PANAMA		420	522	282	312	25	24	39	17	25	24	39	17
COLOMBIA		6,474	1,111	2,109	354	647	354	394	257	647	257	394	257
VENEZUELA		12,119	5,099	4,128	2,115	442	2,115	862	184	442	184	862	184
UNITED KINGDOM		12,079	2,653	4,918	1,077	93	1,077	194	36	93	36	194	36
SPAIN		2,807	1,056	1,023	428	0	428	214	80	0	80	214	80
ITALY		743	1,267	295	562	35	562	37	17	35	17	37	17
GREECE		275	743	139	376	18	376	0	0	18	0	0	0
IRAN		991	3,407	460	1,602	0	1,602	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDIA		3,139	1,089	1,010	322	0	322	0	0	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE		1,333	630	553	288	0	288	70	0	0	0	70	0
PHILIPPINES		1,230	634	422	306	0	306	68	0	0	0	68	0
HONG KONG		530	624	252	305	18	305	59	7	18	7	59	7
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		3,972	2,754	1,181	863	307	863	601	99	307	99	601	99
JAPAN		6,998	3,604	2,139	1,287	85	1,287	366	21	85	21	366	21
OTHER		10,942	6,978	4,692	4,047	316	4,047	592	180	316	180	592	180
LETTUCE, FRESH	MT	152,493	164,238	30,413	38,881	5,234	38,881	4,717	1,220	5,234	1,220	4,717	1,220
CANADA		139,973	150,693	25,276	32,386	3,576	32,386	2,755	637	3,576	637	2,755	637
SWEDEN		2,786	1,950	1,189	988	0	988	6	0	0	0	6	0
NETHERLANDS		1,755	1,439	728	808	0	808	4	0	0	0	4	0
HONG KONG		4,557	5,053	1,830	2,163	1,211	2,163	1,398	455	1,211	455	1,398	455
OTHER		3,423	5,102	1,390	2,556	447	2,556	555	128	447	128	555	128
POTATOES, FRESH, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MT	454,380	152,985	67,847	23,872	9,724	23,872	7,796	1,144	9,724	1,144	7,796	1,144
CANADA		191,231	119,931	25,650	18,544	7,553	18,544	7,075	999	7,553	999	7,075	999
MEXICO		10,587	11,290	1,044	1,263	313	1,263	358	36	313	36	358	36
NETHERLANDS		27,064	0	4,167	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		26,459	0	3,634	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		141,921	0	19,615	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY		10,569	0	2,162	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALGERIA		22,124	17,267	3,635	2,786	0	2,786	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		34,424	4,497	7,940	1,280	1,858	1,280	363	569	1,858	569	363	107
TOMATOES, FRESH	MT	72,735	88,256	26,514	30,650	5,967	30,650	5,607	2,310	5,967	2,310	5,607	2,310
CANADA		69,633	85,032	25,151	29,237	5,348	29,237	4,750	2,082	5,348	2,082	4,750	2,082
OTHER		3,102	3,223	1,363	1,414	619	1,414	857	228	619	228	857	228
HOPS	MT	7,734	6,101	17,491	14,270	143	14,270	85	427	143	427	85	210
CANADA		1,387	1,040	3,205	2,178	0	2,178	9	0	0	0	9	0
MEXICO		446	187	965	460	0	460	0	0	0	0	0	0
VENEZUELA		100	38	572	115	16	115	0	0	16	0	0	0
PERU		244	0	824	0	0	0	0	93	0	93	0	0
BRAZIL		1,375	1,698	3,441	4,499	62	4,499	29	170	62	170	29	83
UNITED KINGDOM		203	105	407	226	0	226	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRELAND		400	400	1,050	750	0	750	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		698	5	1,291	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		248	0	431	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USSR		1,527	1,387	2,730	2,730	0	2,730	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		392	380	937	937	0	937	2	0	0	0	2	0
NIGERIA		90	166	217	579	43	579	24	109	43	109	24	61
OTHER		475	695	1,412	1,835	22	1,835	21	55	22	55	21	43

1/ PRELIMINARY

U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS RISE 3 PERCENT DURING FIRST 11 MONTHS OF FISCAL 1978

U.S. agricultural imports in August of \$1 billion were at their lowest level since last November. Declines occurred mainly in imports of coffee, sugar, and meat.

During the first 11 months of fiscal 1978, U.S. agricultural imports were valued at \$12.8 billion, about 3 percent higher than a year ago. Value gains in imports of cocoa beans, cocoa products, bananas, rubber, live animals, hides and skins, dairy products, meat and products, fruits, vegetables, tobacco, wine, malt beverages, and cut flowers more than offset value declines for tea, sugar, vegetable oils, and molasses.

Imports of noncompetitive products declined by about 5 percent mainly due to the drop in green coffee imports which accounted for about 53 percent of all noncompetitive imports, compared with nearly 60 percent a year earlier. The value of green coffee imports of \$3.2 billion declined by about 15 percent, mainly due to a fall-off in roastings and consumption and relatively favorable inventories. As unit import prices of green coffee dropped from \$1.83 per pound during October 1976 to August 1977 to \$1.68 per pound during the next 11 months, the volume imported declined by a smaller amount than the value.

While monthly tea imports during the first 11 months of fiscal 1978 have not shown a marked decline, the cumulative value of \$106 million was nearly two-fifths less than during the October 1976-August 1977 period. Tea imports rose significantly during several months of fiscal 1977 when coffee prices were high.

Higher prices caused most of the 22 percent value gain in imports of cocoa beans and a doubling in value imports of chocolate preparations. The volume of cocoa beans imported actually declined, while the volume of chocolate preparations rose by 36 percent.

Except for vegetable oils, sugar, inedible molasses and nuts, imports of major competitive products rose during the first 11 months of fiscal 1978, compared with a year ago. Imports of live animals of about \$296 million rose by two-fifths. The main value gains were in imports of dutiable cattle--accounting for about 70 percent of all live animal imports--and swine, about 5 percent of the total. Value imports of swine of over \$15 million more than tripled, while the number imported rose from 38,000 to about 145,000. The gain in live animal imports --mostly from Canada-- was due to strong domestic demand and inadequate supplies.

Meat and products accounted for the major increase in imports of noncompetitive imports. Beef and veal imports of \$965 million--over two-thirds of the value of all imports of meat products--rose by 30 percent. As unit import prices of beef and veal rose from \$1.34 per kilogram during October 1976-August 1977 to \$1.53 per kilogram during the next 11 months, the 13 percent rise in the volume of beef and veal imported was considerably less than the value gain. The rise in beef and veal imports was mainly due to inflation, declining U.S. production, and a June increase in imports subject to the Meat Import Law.

Imports of fruits and vegetables each rose by about one-fourth in value from a year ago. Among fruits, the largest increase was in imports of concentrated orange juice which went from \$12 million to over \$57 million. The gain was due to a severe freeze in the winter of 1977 which led to a reduction in stocks, high domestic prices, and an increase in imports from Brazil. Yields increased this year and it is expected that domestic stocks will be higher and imports somewhat lower in fiscal 1979.

Sugar imports, at \$784 million, declined 4 percent from a year ago. The quantity declined by about the same amount mainly due to higher import fees imposed in January.

Vegetable oils imports, at \$423 million, declined by about 15 percent from a year ago. Higher prices have reduced imports of coconut oil, while larger domestic supplies of soybean and cottonseed oils, at prices below palm oil, have reduced palm oil imports.

Table 12--U.S. agricultural imports: Value by commodity, October-August 1976/77 and 1977/78 and August 1977 and 1978

Commodity	October-August:			August:		
	1976/77		Change	1977		Change
	1976/77	1977/78		1977	1978	
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
Complementary						
Bananas, fresh	287	307	+7	29	28	-3
Cocoa and chocolate:						
Cocoa beans	450	548	+22	38	44	+16
Cocoa butter	88	85	-3	8	12	+50
Cocoa cake, powder, and chocolate	257	559	+118	32	46	+44
Coffee:						
Coffee, green or crude	3,798	3,227	-15	215	210	-2
Coffee, soluble	295	175	-41	21	9	-57
Drugs, crude	120	127	+6	12	9	-25
Essential oils	72	74	+3	8	8	---
Fibers, unmanufactured	27	26	-4	3	3	---
Rubber, crude:						
Rubber, crude, dry form	513	539	+5	38	56	+47
Rubber, latex	47	55	+17	2	8	+300
Silk, raw	3	5	+67	1/	1	---
Spices	119	123	+3	11	10	-9
Tea, crude	168	106	-37	16	11	-31
Wool, carpet	31	26	-16	3	3	---
Other complementary products	115	116	+1	9	4	-56
Total complementary products	6,390	6,098	-5	445	462	+4
Supplementary						
Animals and animal products:						
Cattle and calves	162	216	+33	7	8	+14
Dairy products and eggs	281	300	+7	26	30	+15
Hides and skins, including furskins	195	224	+15	18	16	-11
Meats and meat products, excluding poultry:						
Beef and veal	744	965	+30	76	88	+16
Pork	397	423	+7	33	32	-3
Other meats and meat products	37	51	+38	3	5	+67
Sausage casings	38	43	+13	4	4	---
Wool, apparel	57	46	-19	5	5	---
Other animals and animal products	193	246	+27	23	22	-4
Total animals and animal products	2,104	2,514	+19	195	210	+8
Cotton, raw, excluding linters	13	2	-85	1	0	---
Feeds and fodders	59	59	---	5	5	---
Fruits and preparations	342	429	+25	28	31	+11
Grains and preparations	156	174	+11	15	17	+13
Nuts and preparations	188	174	-7	22	22	---
Oilseeds, oilnuts, and products:						
Coconut oil	235	217	-8	22	22	---
Palm and palm kernel oil	159	104	-35	17	13	-24
Olive oil, edible	31	33	+6	2	2	---
Other oilseeds and products	169	122	-28	13	9	-31
Seeds, cut flowers, & nursery stk., excl. oilseeds	104	129	+24	9	13	+44
Sugar and molasses:						
Sugar, cane or beet	815	784	-4	83	60	-28
Molasses, inedible	88	63	-28	8	6	-25
Tobacco, unmanufactured, incl. bulk smoking ..	277	341	+23	37	32	-14
Vegetables and preparations	578	730	+26	37	42	+13
Wines and malt beverages:						
Wines	341	447	+31	38	51	+34
Malt beverages	146	190	+30	16	24	+50
Other supplementary vegetable products	148	160	+8	11	12	+9
Total supplementary products	5,953	6,672	+12	559	571	+2
Total agricultural imports	12,343	12,770	+3	1,004	1,033	+3

Table 13 --U.S. imports of meat under Public Law 88-482 1/: Quantity and value by country, January-August 1977 and 1978 and August 1977 and 1978

Country	January-August		August	
	1977	1978	1977	1978
-- <u>Metric tons</u> --				
Australia	176,862	235,532	31,868	24,053
New Zealand	84,042	91,222	13,240	10,748
Canada	27,614	18,351	1,636	830
CACM:				
Costa Rica	20,972	16,656	698	484
El Salvador	1,314	2,270	74	146
Guatemala	8,500	7,292	1,246	1,101
Honduras	11,800	11,518	1,132	1,009
Nicaragua	12,848	17,559	943	1,826
Dominican Republic	978	32	0	0
Haiti	466	505	55	54
Ireland	0	4	0	0
Mexico	16,247	18,005	919	1,515
Panama	1,297	220	172	0
Belize	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom-No. Ireland	18	0	0	0
Total	362,958	419,166	51,983	41,766
-- <u>1,000 dollars</u> --				
Australia	221,004	356,123	36,995	42,267
New Zealand	102,525	145,455	15,011	18,612
Canada	37,085	32,512	2,319	1,788
CACM:				
Costa Rica	30,406	28,833	997	807
El Salvador	1,937	4,506	101	301
Guatemala	13,355	13,429	1,807	2,215
Honduras	16,624	20,739	1,622	1,809
Nicaragua	18,936	33,879	1,474	3,445
Dominican Republic	1,340	61	0	0
Haiti	826	1,009	111	97
Ireland	0	18	0	0
Mexico	23,024	31,627	1,279	3,133
Panama	1,769	367	251	0
Belize	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom-No. Ireland	28	0	0	0
Total	468,859	668,558	61,967	74,474

1/ P.L. 88-482 (1964) provides for import quotas on fresh, chilled, or frozen beef, veal, mutton, and goat meat. Fresh, chilled, or frozen boneless beef accounted for more than 90 percent of the import volume.

Table 14--U.S. agricultural imports: Value by months, October 1968 to August 1978 (Million dollars)

Months	1968/69 1/	1969/70 1/	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77 2/	1977/78 2/
October	396.0	469.1	480.3	302.5	573.6	712.2	740.9	828.6	811.4	854.6
November	419.4	411.2	442.9	298.2	547.7	862.5	837.3	804.9	971.7	814.4
December	419.8	481.8	522.3	540.2	550.2	778.6	965.6	768.3	1,095.6	1,282.9
October-December ...	1,235.2	1,362.1	1,445.5	1,140.9	1,671.5	2,353.3	2,543.8	2,401.8	2,878.7	2,951.9
January	208.6	491.0	506.6	575.6	648.9	786.9	810.9	817.5	1,139.3	1,246.7
February	315.6	457.5	419.7	591.6	615.3	819.4	693.9	768.6	1,127.2	1,222.2
March	474.8	523.9	499.6	506.6	658.9	984.2	749.0	960.3	1,300.4	1,393.7
January-March	999.0	1,472.4	1,425.9	1,673.8	1,923.1	2,590.5	2,253.8	2,546.4	3,566.9	3,862.6
October-March	2,234.2	2,834.5	2,871.4	2,814.7	3,594.6	4,943.8	4,797.6	4,948.2	6,445.6	6,814.5
April	487.9	514.5	554.4	489.5	696.5	877.8	761.9	895.7	1,403.9	1,309.1
May	438.1	443.5	477.9	529.0	786.5	890.1	688.4	847.6	1,256.8	1,277.0
June	430.0	499.4	529.8	520.6	664.4	841.7	827.3	1,020.1	1,240.1	1,148.9
April-June	1,356.0	1,457.4	1,562.1	1,539.1	2,147.4	2,609.6	2,277.6	2,763.4	3,900.8	3,735.0
July	434.0	461.7	489.0	471.6	635.0	897.9	762.1	957.9	1,010.4	1,187.1
August	407.7	463.8	555.1	563.7	720.4	854.1	687.7	931.6	1,004.2	1,033.3
September	398.6	469.0	650.5	547.1	639.8	751.1	945.3	913.7	1,016.2	
July-September	1,240.3	1,394.5	1,694.6	1,582.4	1,995.2	2,503.1	2,395.1	2,803.2	3,030.8	
April-September	2,596.3	2,851.9	3,256.7	3,121.5	4,142.6	5,112.7	4,672.7	5,566.6	6,931.6	
October-September ^{3/}	4,830.5	5,686.4	6,128.1	5,936.2	7,737.2	10,056.5	9,470.3	10,514.8	13,377.2	
Monthly average ..	402.5	473.9	510.7	494.7	644.8	838.0	789.2	876.2	1,115.3	

1/ Monthly totals for July-Dec. 1969 do not include furskins.

2/ Preliminary. Oct. 1976 data excludes coconut oil imports.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	76/77	QUANTITY	1977	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
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ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	1,940,115	2,056,477	6,390,453	6,097,824	185,301	173,199	445,406	462,475
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	58,582	59,061	286,583	306,915	5,005	5,402	29,144	27,906
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	MT	15,839	20,194	8,363	11,058	1,947	1,362	814	984
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	941,713	870,556	5,243	6,314	41,702	67,424	657	507
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	MT	30,084	16,557	3,797,933	3,226,780	1,447	1,008	215,061	210,125
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	MT	21,687	22,172	294,751	174,806	1,370	1,191	20,875	9,347
COCOA BEANS	MT	186,816	168,756	87,970	77,530	10,971	14,912	6,687	3,087
COCOA BUTTER	MT	17,372	19,515	449,942	548,373	1,493	2,856	37,929	43,592
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	69,825	72,394	88,458	85,172	3,986	6,046	7,683	11,696
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	MT	45,454	62,039	141,645	327,393	5,398	5,968	13,809	25,564
ORUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	MT	35,898	42,773	115,256	231,749	2,263	1,827	18,231	20,563
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	5,693	4,392	119,879	126,730	469	408	12,166	9,162
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	57,712	53,366	74,496	74,202	6,322	6,907	7,755	7,524
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:	---	---	---	26,547	25,851	---	---	3,259	3,258
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT	653,626	642,546	513,184	538,584	47,553	64,886	37,561	56,255
RUBBER, LATEX	MT	52,196	57,824	46,519	54,824	2,524	7,276	2,410	7,560
ALLIED GUMS	MT	2,106	2,378	4,521	5,602	199	226	506	477
SILK, RAW	MT	185	229	3,238	4,677	15	29	270	659
SPICES	MT	63,745	59,669	119,084	123,042	5,050	5,215	10,833	9,514
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT	24,552	22,123	48,254	47,867	1,212	1,719	2,672	3,417
VANILLA BEANS	MT	1,331	967	22,259	19,138	147	105	2,951	1,915
OTHER	MT	37,862	36,579	48,571	56,037	3,691	3,391	5,209	4,181
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	97,645	61,912	168,427	106,006	7,227	6,254	16,495	10,613
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE, CARPET	MT	10,365	8,825	31,129	25,525	944	1,130	2,540	3,225
OTHER	---	---	---	9,285	16,691	---	---	721	857
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	5,952,561	6,671,966	---	---	558,842	570,836
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	2,103,696	2,513,923	---	---	194,760	210,309
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	212,451	296,465	---	---	12,134	16,279
CATTLE, OUTTABLE	NO	1,018,829	1,210,261	155,901	210,236	32,055	31,003	7,189	7,467
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	6,940	6,490	6,018	5,266	128	537	112	382
HORSES	NO	6,913	10,369	44,953	63,666	453	1,034	4,207	4,044
SWINE	NO	37,967	145,292	4,700	15,785	4,519	41,115	566	4,260
OTHER	---	---	---	879	1,512	---	---	61	126
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	275,221	296,212	---	---	25,449	29,573
CHEESE	MT	89,407	91,199	202,936	215,793	7,546	10,274	17,644	22,274
BLUE MOLO, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	MT	2,411	2,434	7,759	8,375	93	166	344	537
CHEDOAR	MT	4,490	4,245	6,971	7,130	86	247	166	498
EOAM AND GOUDA	MT	3,706	3,817	9,959	10,680	313	381	816	948
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	MT	31,282	33,899	74,693	85,827	3,655	3,715	8,695	9,295

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TABLE 15 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/	1977	77/78 1/
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	MT	4,461	4,545	10,274	12,503	187	367	513	958														
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	MT	7,657	6,811	24,704	20,995	658	474	1,979	1,160														
OTHER	MT	35,400	35,448	68,576	70,281	2,554	4,924	5,130	8,878														
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MT	60,007	58,509	62,319	68,943	6,893	5,437	7,480	6,940														
NONFAT DRY MILK	MT	1,240	986	741	557	140	148	99	80														
OTHER	---	---	---	9,226	10,919	---	---	226	279														
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	194,767	224,430	---	---	17,756	15,818														
CALF AND KIP SKINS	MT	337	523	692	1,104	53	58	125	92														
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MT	20,164	16,731	15,419	14,545	1,818	1,214	1,527	1,406														
GOAT AND KID SKINS	MT	812	3,141	3,254	3,254	32	58	133	163														
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MT	16,127	16,604	58,608	65,077	1,637	1,386	7,129	5,492														
FURSKINS	---	---	---	110,553	132,158	---	---	8,352	8,038														
OTHER	---	---	---	6,355	8,292	---	---	490	627														
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	MT	706,696	789,003	1,178,004	1,438,519	71,843	62,216	111,682	125,227														
MEATS-P.L.88-482	MT	481,782	559,397	617,020	842,446	51,985	41,765	61,967	74,475														
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	555,664	630,057	744,195	964,877	59,651	49,264	75,978	97,972														
CANNED	MT	42,939	41,033	72,080	67,127	3,436	3,497	5,782	5,741														
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	486,775	563,011	622,441	846,892	52,043	42,016	61,981	74,840														
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	25,950	26,013	49,674	50,858	4,072	3,751	8,215	7,392														
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	MT	9,777	14,280	15,242	24,570	513	1,140	858	1,826														
PORK	MT	130,989	133,506	396,693	422,819	10,682	10,604	32,633	32,156														
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	10,966	20,659	14,932	30,291	951	2,411	1,160	3,593														
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	MT	110,389	104,334	360,419	370,254	9,094	7,615	29,927	26,939														
OTHER	MT	9,634	8,513	21,342	22,274	637	578	1,546	1,624														
OTHER, INC EDIBLE OFFALS, GAME	MT	10,265	11,160	21,873	26,254	997	1,208	2,214	3,273														
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	74,088	84,549	---	---	9,264	5,968														
BABy CHICKS	MNO	2,778	3,201	2,208	2,772	350	241	181	248														
EGGS IN SHELL	MDZ	14,955	9,075	5,738	3,669	1,459	1,098	605	588														
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	MT	8,536	5,554	62,579	73,837	838	374	8,182	4,727														
POULTRY MEAT	MT	165	431	2,052	2,473	10	59	165	251														
OTHER	---	---	---	1,511	1,799	---	---	131	154														
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	169,037	173,748	---	---	18,475	17,444														
BEE SWAX	MT	1,101	1,101	3,715	4,407	121	84	494	364														
BONES, HOOFs, AND HORNS	---	---	---	2,657	4,270	---	---	321	653														
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	1,616	705	11,737	5,321	157	66	1,235	545														
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	9,002	8,347	4,508	4,911	954	983	649	604														
GELATIN	---	---	---	30,294	39,230	---	---	5,041	3,341														
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	1,597	1,415	5,368	6,010	137	78	637	692														
OSSEIN	MT	5,664	7,396	7,559	10,857	545	617	879	815														
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	38,268	43,170	---	---	3,748	4,388														
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE, APPARE	MT	15,770	11,087	56,714	45,962	1,285	1,364	4,607	5,327														
OTHER	---	---	---	8,207	9,610	---	---	864	715														
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	3,848,885	4,158,043	---	---	364,082	360,527														
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	23,009	12,656	16,717	5,483	837	636	915	228														
COTTON, RAW	MT	7,235	788	13,087	1,695	225	0	614	0														
LINTERS	MT	15,774	11,868	3,630	3,788	612	636	301	228														

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TABLE 15--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
			1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS											
APPLES, FRESH	MT	45,593	---	58,943	---	341,836	428,567	---	---	27,897	31,059
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	5,679	---	2,089	---	13,917	22,498	222	249	43	36
APRICOTS	MT	2,238	---	2,225	---	3,213	1,521	512	60	345	67
BERRIES:	MT					3,777	4,744	47	237	114	691
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	3,392	---	7,399	---	4,237	11,204	2,162	2,877	2,719	3,549
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	MT	12,465	---	14,631	---	5,646	7,612	1	0	1	0
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	MT	42,558	---	41,548	---	24,658	20,542	1,551	856	875	391
OTHER	MT	15,113	---	8,678	---	9,792	8,098	485	639	532	455
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	MT	3,359	---	3,418	---	4,421	4,680	494	465	607	611
CITRUS:	MT										
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	MT	8,584	---	2,856	---	3,225	851	535	0	280	0
LIMES, FRESH	MT	6,394	---	10,285	---	2,170	2,637	571	591	116	126
ORANGES, CANNED	MT	33,721	---	34,526	---	23,669	27,903	2,295	2,304	1,910	1,764
ORANGES, FRESH	MT	45,548	---	30,819	---	12,286	7,968	538	142	292	44
OTHER	MT	477	---	6,664	---	229	3,557	13	210	15	149
DATES	MT	16,765	---	16,539	---	8,586	9,824	7	8	23	23
FIGS	MT	3,270	---	3,210	---	2,973	3,127	7	1	14	2
FRUIT JUICES:											
APPLE AND PEAR	HCL	1,066,346	---	1,553,167	---	20,640	32,993	189,547	184,996	3,625	3,668
GRAPE	HCL	16,723	---	32,651	---	382	969	454	2,508	24	93
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	HCL	1,084,999	---	2,803,887	---	12,201	57,419	179,426	310,879	2,678	6,051
PINEAPPLE	HCL	6,213,422	---	8,890,186	---	6,722	11,659	455,099	636,981	709	989
OTHER	HCL	919,943	---	1,001,848	---	5,602	7,362	100,046	136,855	660	967
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	MT	15,656	---	15,411	---	8,850	9,510	544	824	253	478
GRAPES, FRESH	MT	28,118	---	30,064	---	15,420	19,883	732	343	236	194
JAMS AND JELLIES	MT	3,539	---	3,465	---	4,118	4,031	362	315	490	469
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	9,442	---	13,591	---	5,133	6,980	2,658	2,642	1,433	979
MELONS, FRESH	MT	177,706	---	201,932	---	31,780	35,624	440	283	31	30
PEARS, FRESH	MT	4,295	---	5,774	---	1,603	2,448	0	0	0	0
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	MT	---	---	---	---	6,170	6,917	---	---	248	415
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MT	154,964	---	156,017	---	73,818	78,797	16,452	14,598	7,966	7,591
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	MT	2,598	---	2,313	---	1,455	1,105	164	202	80	117
PRUNES, PLUMS	MT	2,112	---	2,457	---	2,097	2,630	73	122	136	145
RAISINS, CURRANTS	MT	12,715	---	832	---	13,366	747	572	17	631	35
OTHER	MT	---	---	---	---	9,702	12,728	---	---	814	930
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS											
BRAZIL	MT	10,804	---	9,737	---	188,286	174,386	---	---	22,101	22,303
CASHEWS	MT	38,599	---	25,118	---	14,254	16,102	2,505	1,456	2,774	2,253
CHESTNUTS	MT	5,045	---	4,663	---	9,012	79,217	3,609	3,897	13,085	12,268
COCONUTS, IN SHELL	MNO	19,000	---	18,158	---	4,097	5,696	19	2	31	4
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	42,645	---	43,322	---	3,062	2,848	1,435	1,087	233	169
FILBERTS	MT	5,902	---	3,616	---	27,079	35,726	3,664	5,026	3,383	3,851
PECANS	MT	1,821	---	365	---	9,342	5,850	482	319	816	658
PISTACHE	MT	7,681	---	7,642	---	23,081	842	12	3	43	11
OTHER	MT	---	---	---	---	25,087	25,087	459	903	1,518	2,996
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS											
BARLEY	MT	158,232	---	94,595	---	4,459	3,020	---	---	217	94
BARLEY AND OTHER MALT	MT	40,073	---	38,254	---	155,978	173,668	---	---	14,575	16,615
CORN, EXC SEED	MT	58,278	---	58,419	---	24,464	10,364	12,408	5,095	1,721	611
OATS	MT	31,833	---	17,675	---	9,653	7,783	6,898	4,755	1,638	880
RICE	MT	1,582	---	2,105	---	7,322	6,951	13,199	7,691	1,545	1,039
WHEAT, EXC, SEED	MT	34,923	---	22	---	3,497	1,642	947	339	103	33
	MT					662	991	64	215	42	120
	MT					3,279	7	0	0	0	0

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TABLE 19 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1978 1/	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1978 1/	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	607	461	118	177	19,197	19,197	27	23	1,542	1,814	6	9	1,498	1,462		
WHEAT GLUTEN	MT	22,379	21,115	21,707	19,197	62,136	62,136	3,378	3,649	5,044	5,044	687	841	6,054	6,054		
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	MT	35,056	38,537	6,302	7,927	2,438	2,438	1,132	1,988	1,132	1,988	136	72	1,685	1,685		
BREAD CRUMBS	MT	10,664	13,318	1,431	21,011	33,045	33,045	---	---	---	---	535	3,787	45,759	45,759		
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	MT	1,622	2,208	18,859	476,486	1,733	1,733	3,321	1,874	5,592	5,592	5,335	3,137	3,137	3,137		
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	24,691	27,580	593,649	84,894	17,557	17,557	63	536	18	86	784	668	784	668		
OTHER	---	---	---	6,010	11,980	9,389	9,389	2,222	2,335	230	230	1,153	2,021	1,153	2,021		
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	MT	23,313	9,112	4,852	1,733	45,304	45,304	6,440	5,592	5,592	5,592	5,335	3,137	3,137	3,137		
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	159,307	87,807	84,894	17,557	11,980	11,980	1,601	1,74	253	253	1,153	2,021	1,153	2,021		
JILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	59,991	17,996	29,945	4,048	19,159	19,159	22,765	1,414	2,346	2,346	1,153	2,021	1,153	2,021		
FLAXSEED	MT	32,866	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132		
POPPY SEED	MT	4,481	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132	2,132		
SESAME SEED	MT	27,382	28,343	3,307	892	31,258	31,258	2,537	33	3,141	33	3,141	33	3,141	33		
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	2,214	3,307	892	31,258	503,904	503,904	429,449	70,736	47,169	47,169	47,169	47,169	47,169	47,169		
OTHER	MT	32,373	8,284	3,031	4,504	5,635	5,635	284	427	476	476	476	476	476	476		
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	MT	933,506	804,877	40,186	36,570	216,592	216,592	34,014	37,945	21,930	22,342	21,930	22,342	21,930	22,342		
CARNAUBA WAX	MT	2,348	3,031	4,504	5,635	5,635	5,635	284	427	476	476	476	476	476	476		
CASTOR OIL	MT	49,799	117,515	40,186	36,570	216,592	216,592	34,014	37,945	21,930	22,342	21,930	22,342	21,930	22,342		
COCONUT OIL	MT	475,475	423,340	235,247	33,125	30,878	30,878	2,051	1,819	1,819	1,819	1,819	1,819	1,819	1,819		
OLIVE OIL, EOBLE	MT	23,707	25,240	30,878	122,800	70,902	70,902	21,471	17,584	11,928	11,928	11,928	11,928	11,928	11,928		
PALM OIL	MT	284,850	156,871	36,611	32,778	7,396	7,396	108	591	76	76	76	76	76	76		
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	63,476	52,487	3,724	2,912	14,808	14,808	300	441	310	310	310	310	310	310		
RAPESEED OIL	MT	6,799	5,577	2,912	15,852	989,342	989,342	894	1,026	1,026	1,026	1,026	1,026	1,026	1,026		
SESAME OIL	MT	1,507	1,406	11,191	8,833	6,833	6,833	300	274	464	464	464	464	464	464		
TUNG OIL	MT	9,812	7,615	11,191	8,833	6,833	6,833	300	274	464	464	464	464	464	464		
OTHER	MT	16,053	11,795	3,895,777	85,007	87,893	87,893	437,157	76,252	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853		
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	MT	4,014,829	3,895,777	85,007	87,893	87,893	87,893	437,157	76,252	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853		
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	930,408	85,007	87,893	87,893	87,893	87,893	437,157	76,252	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853	95,853		
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	MT	4,361	4,457	6,833	6,833	6,833	6,833	300	274	464	464	464	464	464	464		
MAPLE SUGAR AND STRUP	MT	42,912	36,650	53,109	51,735	51,735	51,735	4,235	3,701	5,237	5,237	5,237	5,237	5,237	5,237		
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT	23,320	27,025	15,248	20,570	20,570	20,570	3,273	2,196	2,291	2,291	2,291	2,291	2,291	2,291		
HONEY	MT	---	---	11,134	9,948	9,948	9,948	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
OTHER	---	---	---	578,073	730,440	730,440	730,440	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	MT	3,067	2,366	2,546	2,546	2,546	2,546	21	41	7	7	7	7	7	7		
FRESH OR FROZEN:	MT	7,489	10,255	2,274	7,518	7,518	7,518	24	36	16	16	16	16	16	16		
ASPARAGUS, EX FROZEN	MT	14,014	18,013	6,680	8,447	8,447	8,447	1,685	1,875	890	890	890	890	890	890		
BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, OKRA, SLC, FRZ	MT	17,685	10,743	2,491	1,176	1,176	1,176	24	225	2	2	2	2	2	2		
CABBAGE	MT	29,015	22,904	4,389	3,291	3,291	3,291	129	1,646	23	23	23	23	23	23		
CARROTS	MT	105,246	133,481	15,769	35,100	35,100	35,100	952	378	42	42	42	42	42	42		
CUCUMBERS	MT	10,171	11,069	2,895	3,919	3,919	3,919	2	1,245	267	267	267	267	267	267		
OASHEENS	MT	14,507	18,028	3,107	6,465	6,465	6,465	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1		
EGGPLANT	MT	645	763	1,204	1,379	1,379	1,379	11	28	4	4	4	4	4	4		
ENJOVE	MT	8,273	12,146	6,283	8,326	8,326	8,326	303	781	270	270	270	270	270	270		
GARLIC	MT	1,476	2,128	359	686	686	686	590	670	103	103	103	103	103	103		
LETTUCE	MT	7,853	11,174	1,596	2,215	2,215	2,215	1,516	1,309	229	229	229	229	229	229		
OKRA	MT	63,709	60,064	12,184	14,498	14,498	14,498	266	518	116	116	116	116	116	116		
ONIONS	MT	6,499	8,489	3,969	6,193	6,193	6,193	429	696	329	329	329	329	329	329		
PEAS	MT	53,116	65,552	20,899	30,935	30,935	30,935	851	1,163	388	388	388	388	388	388		
PEPPERS	MT	24,689	42,496	2,344	4,412	4,412	4,412	3	244	1	1	1	1	1	1		
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	MT	33,829	33,829	4,304	16,196	16,196	16,196	14	8	3	3	3	3	3	3		
SQUASH	MT	28,952	37,458	146,687	161,623	161,623	161,623	3,387	5,717	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700		
TOMATOES	MT	35,468	32,905	5,641	4,062	4,062	4,062	2,358	1,750	449	449	449	449	449	449		
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	MT	---	---	10,764	15,970	15,970	15,970	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
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TABLE 16 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST 76/77	: 77/78	AUGUST 1977	1978
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	147.714	149.243	157.277	161.121
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	142.760	147.236	162.577	182.070
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	MT	331.018	312.663	337.646	372.494
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	4,033.004	3,716.574	5,157.102	3,116.478
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	MT	9,797.616	10,557.821	14,426.388	9,272.614
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	MT	4,056.324	3,496.742	4,881.323	2,591.833
COCOA BEANS	MT	2,408.475	3,249.500	3,457.218	2,923.287
COCOA BUTTER	MT	5,091.993	4,364.437	5,145.748	4,095.318
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	2,028.568	4,522.376	3,464.422	4,228.191
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	MT	2,535.660	3,735.531	3,377.283	3,445.550
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	MT	3,339.446	2,962.839	5,375.895	5,014.519
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	12,734.305	16,894.787	16,534.394	18,441.130
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	459.991	484.410	515.512	471.717
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:					
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT	785.134	838.203	789.870	866.982
RUBBER, LATEX	MT	891.231	948.113	954.971	1,039.005
ALLIED GUMS	MT	2,146.960	2,355.698	2,545.206	2,112.509
SILK, RAW	MT	17,502.346	20,423.760	18,028.200	22,730.448
SPICES	MT	1,868.127	2,062.068	2,145.053	1,824.311
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT	1,965.377	2,163.671	2,204.964	1,987.966
VANILLA BEANS	MT	16,723.275	19,791.023	20,073.245	18,238.800
OTHER	MT	1,282.846	1,531.937	1,411.362	1,233.086
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	1,724.894	1,712.203	2,282.363	1,696.942
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE, CARPET	MT	3,003.280	2,892.351	2,690.351	2,853.982
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	153.019	173.711	224.278	240.846
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	867.195	811.336	873.266	710.864
HORSES	NO	6,502.742	6,140.075	9,286.086	3,911.429
SWINE	NO	123.787	108.644	125.292	103.619
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
CHEESE	MT	2,269.796	2,366.174	2,338.229	2,168.018
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	MT	3,218.115	3,440.960	3,700.882	3,234.217
CHEDDAR	MT	1,552.663	1,679.722	1,929.942	2,017.895
EDAM AND GOUDA	MT	2,687.276	2,798.097	2,607.738	2,488.181
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	MT	2,387.741	2,531.849	2,378.988	2,501.966

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TABLE 16 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST	1978
		76/77	77/78	1977	1978
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	MT	2,302.971	2,750.983	2,742.316	2,609.542
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	MT	3,226.295	3,082.496	3,008.187	2,447.800
OTHER	MT	1,937.165	1,982.662	2,008.807	1,803.038
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MT	1,038.530	1,178.326	1,085.176	1,276.482
NONFAT DRY MILK	MT	597.714	565.125	710.157	542.770
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CALF AND KIP SKINS	MT	2,053.522	2,110.820	2,354.377	1,585.672
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MT	764.680	869.334	840.143	1,158.176
GOAT AND KID SKINS	MT	3,867.632	3,446.796	4,154.344	2,803.517
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MT	3,634.137	3,919.357	4,354.620	3,962.486
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	MT	1,666.917	1,823.211	1,554.532	2,012.777
MEATS-P.L.88-482	MT	1,280.714	1,505.990	1,192.018	1,783.183
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	1,339.290	1,531.412	1,273.711	1,785.735
CANNED	MT	1,678.668	1,635.931	1,635.158	1,641.619
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,278.714	1,504.219	1,190.967	1,781.221
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	1,914.215	1,955.101	2,017.374	1,970.652
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	MT	1,558.935	1,720.561	1,671.799	1,601.488
PORK	MT	3,028.447	3,167.038	3,054.909	3,032.443
FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,361.668	1,466.228	1,219.787	1,490.333
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	MT	3,264.988	3,548.736	3,290.837	3,537.595
OTHER	MT	2,215.328	2,616.474	2,426.452	2,809.779
OTHER, INC EDIBLE OFFALS, GAME	MT	2,130.637	2,352.504	2,220.554	2,709.252
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BABY CHICKS	MNO	794.742	865.987	518.111	1,028.797
EGGS IN SHELL	MDZ	383.690	404.247	414.403	535.599
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	MT	7,331.231	13,294.313	9,764.179	12,638.872
POULTRY MEAT	MT	12,434.988	5,738.459	16,473.900	4,255.390
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BEEFWAX	MT	3,374.144	4,002.375	4,080.702	4,331.036
BONES, HOOF, AND HORNS	---	---	---	---	---
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT	7,263.203	7,547.075	7,868.624	8,253.227
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	MT	500.794	588.380	680.768	683.528
GELATIN	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	3,361.283	4,247.045	4,651.022	8,866.949
OSSEIN	MT	1,334.633	1,467.920	1,612.971	1,320.412
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	4,726.834	---	4,450.424
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE, APPARE	MT	3,596.322	4,145.476	3,585.214	3,905.425
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, RAW	MT	1,808.851	2,151.216	2,729.044	---
LINTERS	MT	230.101	319.167	491.637	358.973

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TABLE 16 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMOOITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST	1978
		76/77	77/78	1977	
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
APPLES, FRESH	MT	305.242	381.688	193.671	144.004
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	MT	565.807	728.275	673.770	1,120.150
APRICOTS	MT	1,687.518	2,132.212	2,423.787	2,915.810
BERRIES:					
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	MT	1,249.235	1,514.274	1,257.432	1,233.623
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	MT	452.932	520.252	877.000	---
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	MT	578.921	494.415	564.227	456.456
OTHER	MT	647.915	933.178	1,097.151	711.701
CANOID OR GLACE FRUITS	MT	1,316.107	1,369.232	1,228.850	1,313.480
CITRUS:					
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	MT	375.667	298.077	523.707	---
LIMES, FRESH	MT	339.366	256.350	202.487	212.367
ORANGES, CANNEO	MT	701.902	808.167	832.149	765.416
ORANGES, FRESH	MT	269.742	258.558	541.987	310.958
OTHER	MT	479.526	533.698	1,138.308	710.657
DATES	MT	512.151	593.967	3,241.286	2,935.625
FIGS	MT	909.169	974.178	1,987.714	1,728.000
FRUIT JUICES:					
APPLE AND PEAR	HCL	19.356	21.243	19.124	19.830
GRAPE	HCL	22.815	29.676	52.419	36.890
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	HCL	11.245	20.479	14.924	19.463
PINEAPPLE	HCL	1.082	1.311	1.558	1.552
OTHER	HCL	6.090	7.348	6.598	7.067
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	MT	565.248	617.059	464.340	579.839
GRAPES, FRESH	MT	546.403	661.356	323.031	564.776
JAMS AND JELLIES	MT	1,163.595	1,163.278	1,354.110	1,488.730
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	543.611	513.558	539.178	370.389
MELONS, FRESH	MT	178.837	176.416	70.664	106.629
PEARS, FRESH	MT	373.217	423.985	---	---
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	---	---	---	---	---
PINEAPPLES, CANNEO	MT	476.354	505.053	484.174	520.015
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNEO	MT	559.869	477.558	486.494	579.743
PRUNES, PLUMS	MT	993.053	1,070.457	1,859.808	1,199.475
RAISINS, CURRANTS	MT	1,051.180	897.625	1,102.792	2,055.882
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
BRAZIL	MT	1,319.358	1,653.707	1,107.560	1,547.317
CASHEWS	MT	2,565.145	3,153.792	3,625.742	3,147.985
CHESTNUTS	MT	812.042	1,221.431	1,628.211	2,178.000
COCONUTS, IN SHELL	MNO	161.183	156.828	162.138	155.252
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	MT	634.991	824.651	923.222	766.145
FILBERTS	MT	1,582.911	1,939.654	1,692.865	2,062.053
PECANS	MT	2,141.120	2,306.118	3,602.083	3,681.333
PISTACHE	MT	3,004.892	3,282.723	3,308.251	3,317.812
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
BARLEY	MT	154.609	109.566	138.679	119.996
BARLEY AND OTHER MALT	MT	240.915	203.455	237.406	185.074
CORN, EXC SEED	MT	125.644	118.989	117.030	135.099
OATS	MT	109.866	92.903	108.499	96.204
RICE	MT	418.320	470.799	662.078	560.312
WHEAT, EXC, SEED	MT	93.899	328.545	---	---

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TABLE 16 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		:	AUGUST	
		76/77	77/78		1977	1978
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	193.593	383.273		226.815	412.957
WHEAT GLUTEN	MT	969.956	909.167		971.343	817.131
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	MT	1,502.550	1,612.280		1,493.150	1,659.195
BREAD CRUMBS	MT	590.933	595.176		606.934	565.423
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	MT	882.247	1,103.986		746.901	769.170
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	763.810	761.810		794.401	778.821
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---		---	---
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	208.109	190.235		317.589	190.561
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	532.893	515.946		828.440	543.075
FLAXSEED	MT	292.662	169.226		292.143	160.371
MUSTARD SEED	MT	364.502	313.555		351.005	285.064
POPPY SEED	MT	903.336	751.061		1,321.592	522.818
SESAME SEED	MT	699.690	803.180		815.501	887.234
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	403.056	238.866		414.400	217.580
OTHER	MT	965.549	976.036		1,238.198	1,579.848
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	MT	539.797	533.559		666.830	631.298
CARNAUBA WAX	MT	1,918.089	1,859.272		1,811.735	1,853.293
CASTOR OIL	MT	806.961	311.192		863.333	729.920
COCONUT OIL	MT	494.762	511.627		644.724	588.798
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	MT	1,302.485	1,312.416		1,148.392	1,343.999
PALM OIL	MT	431.588	451.980		555.541	535.374
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	576.767	624.506		678.787	707.982
RAPESEED OIL	MT	547.745	641.269		707.954	746.914
SESAME OIL	MT	1,932.277	2,117.908		1,877.522	2,155.484
TUNG OIL	MT	1,140.492	1,944.520		1,470.323	1,549.040
OTHER	MT	987.497	1,058.397		1,302.301	1,130.702
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---		---	---
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	203.029	201.162		195.170	195.186
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	MT	94.467	73.578		87.426	74.896
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	MT	1,566.784	1,827.801		1,545.147	1,988.182
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT	1,237.633	1,411.589		1,236.654	1,538.891
HONEY	MT	653.864	761.153		700.053	747.844
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---		---	---
FRESH OR FROZEN:						
ASPARAGUS, EX FROZEN	MT	830.283	1,070.801		313.143	930.732
BEANS	MT	303.610	733.129		685.833	687.444
BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, OKRA, SLC, FRZ	MT	476.641	468.923		528.099	533.459
CABBAGE	MT	140.874	109.429		82.792	152.316
CARROTS	MT	151.251	143.708		181.093	242.857
CUCUMBERS	MT	149.832	262.960		340.252	236.884
DASHEENS	MT	284.624	354.043		280.854	330.541
EGGPLANT	MT	214.193	356.622		371.500	211.400
ENDIVE	MT	1,866.634	1,807.764		354.636	453.536
GARLIC	MT	759.452	685.471		890.663	714.754
LETTUCE	MT	242.932	322.513		175.183	210.566
OKRA	MT	203.236	198.208		150.767	164.914
ONIONS	MT	191.245	241.383		436.447	579.815
PEAS	MT	610.644	729.511		766.545	687.766
PEPPERS	MT	393.454	471.913		456.175	419.459
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	MT	94.934	103.813		275.000	190.885
SQUASH	MT	148.660	478.750		210.071	148.125
TOMATOES	MT	413.567	431.471		502.016	526.257
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	MT	157.190	123.457		190.317	182.352
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---

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TABLE 16 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP
DOLLARS PER UNIT --CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		:	AUGUST	
		76/77	77/78		1977	1978
DRIED:						
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	MT	473.362	610.341		428.863	456.525
CHICKPEAS	MT	581.922	652.353		537.042	620.878
MUSHROOMS	MT	10,097.177	16,071.618		14,393.140	18,970.548
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	MT	404.897	350.077		380.710	270.084
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:						
ARTICHOKES	MT	1,111.943	1,325.079		1,579.069	1,351.252
ASPARAGUS	MT	1,253.189	1,448.481		1,477.457	1,513.322
BEAN CAKE, CURD	MT	1,416.759	1,474.528		1,469.292	1,595.523
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	MT	199.330	187.458		192.110	189.003
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	MT	3,291.074	2,697.590		9,334.000	---
MUSHROOMS	MT	2,349.666	2,391.351		2,268.049	2,467.990
OLIVES, IN BRINE	HCL	12.806	10.323		12.716	14.755
ONIONS	MT	1,153.789	1,029.869		1,301.017	1,120.274
PALM HEARTS	MT	1,492.987	1,669.149		1,674.212	2,685.500
PEAS, INCLUDING COWPEAS	MT	737.656	871.644		806.301	876.439
PIMIENTOS	MT	1,281.469	1,423.369		1,211.667	1,462.651
SOUPS AND SAUCES	MT	1,344.749	1,682.857		1,163.203	1,824.347
STARCH, POTATO	MT	230.002	225.606		229.414	194.481
TOMATOES	MT	447.675	479.208		529.920	484.370
WATERCHESTNUTS	MT	774.794	698.982		742.092	720.000
OTHER	---	---	---		---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---		---	---
BROOMCORN	MT	1,039.080	1,189.338		998.210	1,387.497
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---		---	---
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	2,817.359	5,075.663		6,550.840	4,075.846
FEEDS & FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---		---	---
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---		---	---
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	216.687	242.151		147.446	191.116
MALT LIQUORS	HCL	5.239	5.689		5.284	5.949
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---		---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	MT	925.731	712.373		1,164.401	1,298.241
SPICES	MT	1,333.523	1,392.363		1,385.551	1,358.741
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	2,209.865	2,458.072		2,528.156	2,503.745
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MT	2,745.887	3,095.492		2,737.599	3,160.280
WINES	HCL	14.203	15.697		15.001	15.997
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	HCL	13.657	14.887		14.408	15.389
MISC. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---		---	---

TABLE 17--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
BANANAS, FRESH	MT	1,940,115	2,056,477	286,583	306,915	185,301	173,199	29,144	27,906	23,491	2,659	1,217	1,217	2,659	1,217
GUATEMALA		199,769	171,774	19,921	18,097	23,491	11,424	2,659	1,217	29,795	7,553	5,191	5,191	7,553	5,191
HONDURAS		473,107	498,556	73,715	81,876	46,422	29,795	7,553	5,191	8,631	1,774	1,774	1,774	1,774	1,774
NICARAGUA		97,444	123,801	16,875	17,619	8,631	8,991	1,594	1,774	41,817	7,418	8,012	8,012	7,418	8,012
COSTA RICA		543,588	473,617	81,582	72,853	41,817	50,133	7,418	8,012	15,274	2,251	1,908	1,908	2,251	1,908
PANAMA		124,558	140,353	18,717	20,108	15,274	13,810	2,251	1,908	5,267	820	2,320	2,320	820	2,320
COLOMBIA		81,224	140,034	12,046	20,919	5,267	14,773	820	2,320	42,147	6,566	6,963	6,963	6,566	6,963
ECUADOR		385,736	476,369	59,844	70,734	2,251	3,329	284	522	5,005	814	984	984	814	984
OTHER		34,688	31,974	3,885	4,710	314	324	32	54	590	114	167	167	114	167
PLANTAINS, FRESH	MT	58,582	59,061	8,363	11,058	5,005	5,402	814	984	1,426	234	353	353	234	353
GUATEMALA		2,316	3,372	294	600	314	324	32	54	590	114	167	167	114	167
COSTA RICA		5,084	7,441	854	1,355	590	2,068	234	353	1,426	234	353	353	234	353
COLOMBIA		24,355	23,708	2,833	4,120	1,426	2,068	234	353	1,997	367	392	392	367	392
ECUADOR		23,201	23,309	3,685	4,684	2,303	1,997	367	392	372	66	18	18	367	392
OTHER		3,627	1,231	697	301	372	81	66	18						
COFFEE, GREEN	MT	941,713	870,556	3,797,933	3,226,780	41,702	67,424	215,061	210,125	2,291	10,082	21,955	21,955	10,082	21,955
MEXICO		87,393	61,260	373,011	213,470	2,291	8,195	10,082	21,955	8,195	9,743	3,824	3,824	9,743	3,824
GUATEMALA		45,707	52,496	178,644	204,117	1,799	1,286	9,743	4,766	8,196	44,910	4,766	4,766	44,910	4,766
EL SALVADOR		73,438	23,010	322,318	86,096	8,196	1,553	44,910	3,395	1,263	7,015	2,288	2,288	7,015	2,288
HONDURAS		12,039	30,650	49,829	115,791	638	721	7,015	2,288	1,488	2,925	57,623	57,623	2,925	57,623
COSTA RICA		11,116	17,568	52,790	141,485	751	121	2,925	227	1,058	6,676	19,964	19,964	6,676	19,964
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		21,901	38,228	96,590	543,204	1,058	14,863	5,383	2,257	504	2,257	7,055	7,055	2,257	7,055
COLOMBIA		106,959	128,001	443,127	145,183	504	6,676	2,257	7,055	1,034	3,378	11,118	11,118	3,378	11,118
ECUADOR		35,918	43,427	131,173	123,283	1,034	2,300	6,268	7,055	4,274	28,295	9,077	9,077	28,295	9,077
PERU		24,671	33,346	92,765	48,530	4,274	3,378	11,633	3,400	2,552	3,400	20,551	20,551	3,400	20,551
BRAZIL		207,393	108,688	796,474	487,530	506	6,593	3,400	20,551	2,832	1,648	4,800	4,800	1,648	4,800
INDONESIA		49,633	48,942	211,561	132,833	506	6,593	3,400	20,551	1,648	1,648	5,203	5,203	1,648	5,203
IVORY COAST		46,958	32,425	198,374	108,941	2,832	1,648	4,800	5,203	243	31,754	726	726	243	31,754
ZAIRE		23,497	28,612	102,034	90,800	109	1,618	740	5,203	962	0	2,739	2,739	962	0
ETHIOPIA		18,904	22,590	89,294	80,651	109	1,618	740	5,203	6,343	0	2,739	2,739	6,343	0
UGANDA		64,572	33,737	239,970	111,434	0	243	31,754	726	11,920	34,910	34,815	34,815	11,920	34,910
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		14,181	24,231	43,882	80,491	0	962	0	2,739						
OTHER		97,434	143,345	376,090	494,191	7,328	11,920	34,910	34,815						
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXT	MT	30,084	16,557	294,751	174,806	1,447	1,009	20,875	9,347	1,447	20,875	9,347	9,347	20,875	9,347
CANADA		1,366	162	19,022	2,411	120	0	2,440	1	120	2,440	1	1	2,440	1
COLOMBIA		889	52	8,451	487	20	15	250	143	20	11,276	6,767	6,767	11,276	6,767
BRAZIL		22,193	13,730	210,106	135,138	797	774	11,276	1,582	774	2,325	1,582	1,582	2,325	1,582
FRANCE		2,069	747	27,686	18,350	114	88	2,325	855	114	1,436	0	0	2,325	855
SPAIN		1,043	269	11,757	5,797	79	0	1,436	855	79	1,436	0	0	1,436	855
OTHER		2,525	1,597	17,729	12,623	318	131	3,149	855	318	3,149			3,149	855
COCOA BEANS	MT	186,816	168,756	440,942	588,373	10,971	14,912	37,929	43,592	10,971	37,929	43,592	43,592	37,929	43,592
MEXICO		4,602	1,607	11,346	5,509	0	112	0	348	0				0	348

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER--AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
			1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.						1,000 DOL.
COSTA RICA		4,092	3,368	13,376	12,523	339	278	1,402	1,067		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		24,880	23,136	86,204	71,055	1,807	2,197	7,859	6,492		
ECUADOR		5,334	4,408	15,977	13,606	0	1,752	0	5,233		
BRAZIL		27,276	31,239	71,804	107,095	3,206	3,719	11,693	11,278		
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		4,880	5,944	15,324	23,965	398	958	1,574	3,128		
IVORY COAST		42,991	38,918	73,157	127,408	0	0	0	0		
GHANA		35,157	24,508	70,287	75,730	3,721	4,729	9,894	12,694		
NIGERIA		26,223	23,533	61,092	68,927	942	0	3,290	0		
OTHER		11,383	12,094	31,375	39,556	558	1,168	2,218	3,353		
COCOA BUTTER	MT	17,372	19,515	88,458	85,172	1,493	2,856	7,683	11,696		
MEXICO		2,090	1,811	9,197	7,791	50	140	245	592		
COSTA RICA		402	652	1,779	2,721	55	40	282	197		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		344	202	1,872	838	20	20	112	90		
COLOMBIA		270	556	1,116	2,363	50	176	183	798		
VENEZUELA		276	642	1,353	2,545	0	50	0	220		
ECUADOR		335	1,156	1,770	4,744	0	365	0	1,550		
BRAZIL		5,018	5,018	23,401	23,160	1,093	993	5,667	3,717		
UNITED KINGDOM		531	466	3,075	2,286	98	19	573	83		
NETHERLANDS		544	473	2,601	2,189	12	27	60	117		
MALAYSIA		267	337	1,402	1,704	50	50	259	221		
PHILIPPINES		771	470	3,519	1,849	64	73	301	283		
IVORY COAST		6,159	6,510	35,877	27,575	0	678	0	2,969		
OTHER		364	1,223	1,497	5,406	1	225	1	859		
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MT	69,825	72,394	141,645	327,393	3,986	6,047	13,809	25,564		
ECUADOR		1,928	2,198	3,282	8,880	3	225	11	785		
BRAZIL		17,487	16,630	32,121	68,394	1,464	1,756	5,375	6,467		
UNITED KINGDOM		1,325	1,800	2,241	7,955	89	72	115	364		
NETHERLANDS		21,496	22,266	51,153	113,656	1,130	1,518	4,287	7,909		
FRANCE		3,550	3,385	7,871	14,887	212	344	498	1,376		
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,162	10,060	14,777	41,476	470	635	918	3,089		
IVORY COAST		5,459	7,288	10,682	37,079	108	1,101	469	4,327		
GHANA		3,629	4,194	9,102	15,889	356	250	1,570	725		
OTHER		5,790	4,574	10,411	19,175	154	146	567	522		
ESSENTIAL OILS	MT	5,692	4,395	72,496	74,202	470	407	7,755	7,524		
MEXICO		366	359	6,957	7,720	67	63	1,356	1,648		
HAITI		240	227	7,240	8,284	38	19	993	280		
BRAZIL		1,032	834	5,305	4,946	15	34	93	177		
FRANCE		629	529	14,323	16,140	53	54	1,329	1,761		
SPAIN		133	125	1,815	2,018	15	7	129	233		
ITALY		54	77	1,428	2,589	4	3	88	67		
INDIA		58	46	4,069	3,392	8	3	366	337		
INDONESIA		479	479	6,834	7,219	30	68	384	1,043		
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		737	227	4,368	4,825	35	13	901	156		
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		423	245	2,205	1,401	105	16	517	87		

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
FRENCH IND OCEAN ARS									
OTHER		37	11	2,234	749	5	3	415	216
		1,398	1,237	13,720	14,920	95	124	1,183	1,518
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT								
MEXICO		57,711	53,368	26,547	25,851	6,322	6,906	3,259	3,258
ECUADOR		3,773	7,082	2,274	5,687	315	814	192	625
BRAZIL		8,636	6,709	5,785	4,315	1,530	572	1,045	368
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		10,337	7,596	2,859	2,499	564	1,827	72	606
THAILAND		4,905	8,514	864	1,551	585	754	110	153
PHILIPPINES		8,022	6,969	4,640	4,129	585	781	435	480
KENYA		18,138	12,611	8,698	6,025	2,406	1,873	1,228	906
OTHER		1,743	1,048	744	398	239	175	96	70
		2,156	2,839	884	1,247	96	111	81	50
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MT								
THAILAND		653,626	642,546	513,184	538,584	47,553	64,886	37,561	56,255
MALAYSIA		67,323	39,091	50,595	31,978	4,747	5,103	3,583	4,416
SINGAPORE		180,080	191,374	151,140	168,588	12,702	19,189	10,645	17,499
INDONESIA		26,655	27,157	20,459	22,743	2,210	1,921	1,734	1,706
LIBERIA		329,950	339,772	248,979	275,711	26,101	36,053	20,112	30,209
OTHER		36,055	36,640	28,418	31,116	1,060	2,053	819	1,923
		13,562	8,512	13,591	8,410	734	566	668	502
RUBBER, LATEX	MT								
MALAYSIA		52,196	57,824	46,519	54,824	2,524	7,276	2,410	7,560
INDONESIA		19,799	20,916	18,515	20,678	1,609	2,977	1,540	3,161
LIBERIA		11,082	12,632	9,069	11,394	214	1,003	185	940
OTHER		21,088	23,324	18,742	22,007	696	3,266	681	3,433
		228	951	193	744	6	30	4	26
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MT								
BRAZIL		24,552	22,123	48,254	47,867	1,212	1,719	2,672	3,417
INDIA		5,866	8,894	10,850	19,559	0	459	0	904
MALAYSIA		4,794	1,905	10,998	4,558	287	30	684	62
SINGAPORE		3,551	2,076	7,061	4,346	193	431	395	864
INDONESIA		782	649	1,423	1,565	25	56	56	113
OTHER		9,404	8,201	17,781	17,047	705	691	1,533	1,406
		154	398	341	772	2	53	5	68
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MT								
CANADA		97,645	61,912	168,427	106,006	7,227	6,254	16,495	10,613
BRAZIL		2,393	1,979	7,026	7,736	38	136	141	470
ARGENTINA		2,293	1,615	4,373	2,119	90	48	142	53
UNITED KINGDOM		4,962	5,477	5,691	5,505	274	665	321	579
NETHERLANDS		783	525	2,621	2,543	95	38	377	608
INDIA		2,232	3,608	2,653	4,568	318	358	424	408
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		14,176	2,082	29,676	6,943	800	127	2,653	524
INDONESIA		19,189	12,950	39,144	24,685	1,061	1,158	3,398	2,148
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		14,292	10,128	24,661	17,859	912	1,272	2,256	2,085
REP OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		4,728	1,911	4,927	3,498	416	266	578	446
JAPAN		6,088	2,959	5,042	3,751	385	143	228	228
		3,040	2,763	2,055	2,160	412	198	321	176

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST				AUGUST						
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE				
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/			
				1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
KENYA		10,066	6,906	21,889	13,090	908	1,011	2,458	1,777			
MALAWI		5,901	4,066	8,232	4,744	840	471	1,845	561			
OTHER		7,502	5,043	10,438	6,767	668	364	1,100	551			
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	MNO	1,019	1,210	155,901	210,236	32	31	7,189	7,467			
CANADA		449	493	82,555	113,728	28	15	6,394	5,063			
MEXICO		569	717	71,195	96,355	5	16	795	2,404			
OTHER		1	0	2,151	153	0	0	0	0			
CHEESE	MT	89,412	91,198	202,936	215,793	7,547	10,276	17,644	22,274			
ARGENTINA		4,107	3,486	6,197	7,428	160	309	258	698			
NORWAY		6,571	7,685	18,967	23,377	595	746	1,738	2,307			
FINLAND		10,664	9,816	21,671	21,037	1,612	912	3,426	1,831			
DENMARK		11,313	9,022	26,776	24,538	840	743	2,022	1,984			
NETHERLANDS		3,618	3,461	10,202	10,607	271	298	815	903			
FRANCE		5,108	4,636	17,536	16,953	317	319	1,107	1,219			
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		1,937	2,041	3,948	4,435	224	231	433	460			
AUSTRIA		6,870	9,094	14,278	19,273	737	1,223	1,616	2,594			
SWITZERLAND		5,704	5,626	16,222	18,358	547	573	1,496	2,001			
ITALY		6,407	5,201	25,397	20,641	379	207	1,575	750			
NEW ZEALAND		15,564	17,569	21,171	24,176	759	3,389	995	4,701			
OTHER		11,549	13,559	20,580	24,968	1,106	1,327	2,164	2,825			
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MT	60,007	58,509	62,319	68,943	6,894	5,437	7,480	6,940			
ARGENTINA		3,481	1,422	3,019	1,916	119	15	115	25			
UNITED KINGDOM		378	1,433	500	1,921	69	132	101	176			
IRELAND		1,474	3,670	1,763	5,070	436	931	560	1,345			
POLAND		1,913	2,145	1,800	2,180	436	236	392	258			
USSR		1,086	2,284	926	2,429	36	467	37	537			
AUSTRALIA		12,118	10,497	12,733	13,151	429	715	489	1,027			
NEW ZEALAND		38,501	35,432	40,284	40,117	5,292	2,769	5,706	3,222			
OTHER		1,057	1,627	1,294	2,158	77	173	80	350			
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MT	16,126	16,603	58,608	65,077	1,637	1,385	7,129	5,492			
TURKEY		384	154	2,114	588	0	0	0	0			
IRAN		6,452	6,445	25,057	25,531	664	674	3,503	2,591			
AFGHANISTAN		498	468	2,169	2,236	90	26	381	115			
NEW ZEALAND		5,752	6,461	17,633	24,857	584	480	1,878	1,993			

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TABLE 12--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST			
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE		
		76/77	77/78 1/ 1,000 DOL.	76/77	77/78 1/ 1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/ 1,000 DOL.	1977	1978 1/ 1,000 DOL.
SUDAN		723	550	2,648	2,411	86	16	428	58
NIGERIA		589	503	3,615	2,942	57	18	441	150
REP SOUTH AFRICA		418	624	1,985	3,141	38	90	202	418
OTHER		1,310	1,394	3,349	3,371	117	81	296	167
BEEF AND VEAL	MT	555,663	630,057	744,195	964,877	59,651	49,265	75,978	87,972
CANADA		34,051	23,343	45,643	40,064	1,652	832	2,340	1,817
MEXICO		26,802	27,794	35,726	45,414	919	1,547	1,279	3,187
GUATEMALA		13,555	12,182	20,907	21,301	1,246	1,101	1,807	2,215
HONDURAS		15,216	17,642	21,431	29,564	1,132	1,009	1,622	1,809
NICARAGUA		18,597	27,051	26,903	47,797	943	1,826	1,474	3,445
COSTA RICA		21,004	20,708	30,452	35,140	698	484	997	807
BRAZIL		26,615	18,985	49,767	34,958	3,530	1,695	6,862	3,221
ARGENTINA		35,933	41,033	60,509	69,913	3,596	4,976	6,258	8,809
AUSTRALIA		245,655	314,096	303,003	446,235	31,944	24,275	37,125	42,749
NEW ZEALAND		107,015	119,047	131,682	178,552	13,415	10,965	15,210	18,903
OTHER		11,220	8,178	18,170	15,940	576	554	1,005	1,009
PORK	MT	130,989	133,505	396,693	422,819	10,682	10,604	32,633	32,156
CANADA		12,253	22,092	19,444	35,209	1,104	2,535	1,647	3,980
DENMARK		37,868	37,163	127,795	136,000	2,582	2,110	9,037	7,925
NETHERLANDS		17,386	9,348	57,557	34,314	864	416	2,938	1,530
HUNGARY		6,806	6,890	18,995	22,675	437	549	1,303	1,879
POLAND		33,950	32,874	107,842	114,961	3,492	2,934	11,053	10,322
YUGOSLAVIA		14,608	16,275	44,503	52,412	1,440	1,270	4,408	4,025
ROMANIA		5,914	6,334	13,764	18,612	473	630	1,463	2,026
OTHER		2,204	2,528	6,786	8,236	289	160	783	470
GELATIN	---	---	---	30,294	39,230	---	---	5,041	3,341
MEXICO		---	---	1,613	1,104	---	---	264	56
COLOMBIA		---	---	1,017	1,708	---	---	262	111
BRAZIL		---	---	593	2,446	---	---	72	203
ARGENTINA		---	---	697	1,044	---	---	252	78
SWEDEN		---	---	2,209	2,446	---	---	424	76
UNITED KINGDOM		---	---	4,683	4,956	---	---	793	317
NETHERLANDS		---	---	1,315	1,310	---	---	107	113
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		---	---	3,653	2,773	---	---	692	220
FRANCE		---	---	6,991	10,539	---	---	1,140	930
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		---	---	1,815	1,995	---	---	224	211
SWITZERLAND		---	---	237	1,116	---	---	126	18
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		---	---	1,149	2,348	---	---	23	236
JAPAN		---	---	797	1,294	---	---	59	256
AUSTRALIA		---	---	1,275	1,233	---	---	231	175
OTHER		---	---	2,240	2,437	---	---	373	341
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	38,268	43,170	---	---	3,748	4,388
CANADA		---	---	3,595	4,659	---	---	347	502

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		76/77	77/78	76/77	77/78	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
				1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MT	154,964	156,017	73,818	78,797	16,452	14,598	7,966	7,591				
MEXICO		12,087	14,966	6,469	8,066	907	1,007	469	509				
THAILAND		40,293	35,345	19,439	17,778	4,876	2,249	2,347	1,176				
MALAYSIA		6,379	4,254	3,447	2,386	653	304	353	171				
SINGAPORE		3,734	3,119	1,988	1,702	285	122	153	70				
PHILIPPINES		78,679	89,760	35,335	44,198	8,271	10,275	3,786	5,299				
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		8,543	4,280	4,588	2,451	892	236	488	134				
OTHER		5,250	4,293	2,551	2,217	569	405	370	231				
CASHEW NUTS	MT	38,599	25,119	99,012	79,217	3,610	3,897	13,085	12,268				
BRAZIL		6,280	6,270	16,571	19,053	293	781	1,153	2,322				
INDIA		13,079	4,232	39,019	17,795	1,408	1,114	6,045	4,554				
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		1,654	1,215	4,169	5,052	134	197	482	714				
KENYA		607	692	1,502	2,095	69	62	293	178				
TANZANIA		1,632	1,269	4,018	4,425	326	16	1,141	70				
MOZAMBIQUE		14,581	11,099	31,440	29,754	1,327	1,666	3,711	4,269				
OTHER		766	341	2,293	1,043	52	61	260	161				
COCONUT MEAT	MT	42,644	43,322	27,079	35,726	3,664	5,026	3,383	3,851				
COSTA RICA		563	582	510	765	77	30	94	34				
PHILIPPINES		39,648	41,298	25,170	33,979	3,495	4,401	3,216	3,514				
OTHER		2,433	1,442	1,399	981	92	595	72	302				
BARLEY	MT	158,232	94,595	24,464	10,364	12,408	5,095	1,721	611				
CANADA		158,206	94,591	24,461	10,360	12,407	5,095	1,720	611				
OTHER		27	4	3	4	1	0	1	0				
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS, ETC	MT	35,056	38,539	52,673	62,136	3,378	3,649	5,044	6,054				
CANADA		14,322	16,111	17,982	20,424	1,397	1,511	1,710	1,928				
MEXICO		1,898	2,476	1,564	2,190	133	393	119	327				
DENMARK		2,404	2,084	6,269	5,536	147	217	393	645				
UNITED KINGDOM		5,894	5,460	8,435	10,474	769	607	1,190	1,196				
NETHERLANDS		1,904	1,953	3,368	3,870	140	63	301	127				
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,405	1,635	3,054	4,054	173	230	422	744				
AUSTRIA		459	1,168	1,329	3,041	17	66	23	109				
JAPAN		1,435	1,386	3,057	3,517	100	89	222	265				
OTHER		5,335	6,267	7,613	9,030	504	473	664	714				
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MT	24,692	27,580	18,859	21,011	2,041	2,163	1,621	1,685				
CANADA		9,480	11,185	6,909	7,495	697	930	495	637				
MEXICO		2,511	2,876	1,107	1,466	259	269	124	127				
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		529	633	464	549	63	87	155	70				
ITALY		6,140	6,890	3,690	4,189	426	390	235	218				
PHILIPPINES		424	518	538	678	34	50	44	65				
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		679	849	844	990	46	41	45	35				
HONG KONG		1,044	914	1,575	1,475	104	69	183	109				

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1979 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1979 1/	1,000 DOL.
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)											
JAPAN		485	546	837	856	62	98	92	98	164	164
OTHER		1,670	1,402	1,571	1,761	146	152	109	152	167	167
		1,729	1,769	1,325	1,552	204	180	125	180	92	92
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	MT	159,224	87,508	84,783	44,870	6,417	5,305	5,590	5,305	3,035	3,035
CANADA		95,824	51,324	30,944	14,116	2,362	884	2,950	884	767	767
MEXICO		23,787	16,583	15,154	13,599	1,047	830	1,445	830	1,322	1,322
GUATEMALA		5,753	7,451	4,023	5,420	278	79	344	95	330	330
NICARAGUA		1,854	2,909	1,717	2,756	101	295	344	95	330	330
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,541	1,924	3,314	1,433	547	442	0	442	0	442
NETHERLANDS		1,246	794	1,763	846	49	81	0	81	0	81
SPAIN		1,330	125	2,174	236	118	217	0	217	0	217
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,863	394	2,064	441	193	226	7	226	11	11
JAPAN		6,346	1,066	10,848	1,807	587	991	3	991	9	9
OTHER		16,680	4,933	12,758	4,216	1,135	1,309	762	1,309	522	522
COCONUT OIL	MT	475,475	423,340	235,247	216,592	34,014	21,930	37,945	21,930	22,342	22,342
PHILIPPINES		462,364	409,179	228,858	208,970	33,501	21,535	36,297	21,535	21,356	21,356
OTHER		13,111	14,161	6,389	7,622	513	395	1,648	395	986	986
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	MT	23,708	25,239	30,878	33,125	2,051	2,355	1,820	2,355	2,445	2,445
SPAIN		9,181	11,559	11,747	14,867	647	806	740	806	1,021	1,021
PORTUGAL		309	315	654	670	25	48	47	48	95	95
ITALY		10,720	12,095	14,618	16,250	783	1,038	1,008	1,038	1,293	1,293
MALAYSIA		1,007	523	732	328	509	338	0	338	0	338
TUNISIA		1,710	60	2,039	76	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		781	687	1,086	935	86	125	25	125	36	36
PALM OIL	MMT	285	157	125,800	70,902	21	11,928	18	11,928	9,414	9,414
MALAYSIA		254	136	107,904	61,862	20	11,246	18	11,246	9,413	9,413
SINGAPORE		8	2	3,427	654	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDONESIA		19	14	10,035	7,072	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		3	3	1,434	1,315	1	682	0	682	1	1
PALM KERNEL OIL	MT	63,476	52,487	36,611	32,778	7,396	5,353	5,353	5,353	3,790	3,790
NETHERLANDS		7,177	7,237	7,074	8,097	788	803	807	803	1,012	1,012
MALAYSIA		44,921	37,529	24,066	20,310	6,608	4,217	3,562	4,217	2,165	2,165
SINGAPORE		2,706	969	1,244	447	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDONESIA		7,460	6,738	3,661	3,910	0	614	984	614	0	0
OTHER		1,212	13	544	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	4,014,829	3,895,486	815,125	783,622	437,157	83,120	307,635	83,120	60,041	60,041
CANADA		45,890	90,218	12,853	26,425	6,332	1,753	6,544	1,753	1,761	1,761
GUATEMALA		312,690	120,635	61,967	21,383	31,206	5,695	32,622	5,695	5,469	5,469
BELIZE		25,668	49,100	5,067	13,131	0	0	0	0	0	0
EL SALVADOR		85,723	104,134	15,507	22,539	28,748	4,787	17,267	4,787	2,380	2,380
NICARAGUA		102,773	55,383	20,025	12,509	17,425	3,134	0	3,134	0	0

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TABLE 17--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1977		1978 1/		1977		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1978 1/	1,000 DOL.
COSTA RICA													
PANAMA		81,497	22,126	15,884	5,549	8,400	10,026	1	1,574				
JAMAICA		102,992	91,716	19,864	16,300	10,026	10,026	8,017	1,617				
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		41,833	15,766	8,689	2,741								
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		993,659	642,856	167,862	123,007	152,114	114,489	114,489	26,652				
PERU		43,315	44,602	8,978	11,536			10,780	0				
BOLIVIA		205,800	190,454	43,203	34,796	38,989	18,816	18,816	6,862				
BRAZIL		25,507	47,590	5,005	11,045				0				
ARGENTINA		104,886	589,104	20,743	111,426	18,332	21,353	21,353	3,112				
RELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		105,784	219,117	18,100	40,654	14,262	2,899	2,899	2,477				
PHILIPPINES		325	49,413	83	14,659				0				
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		946,817	770,071	218,881	158,400	70,376	49,787	49,787	18,459				
AUSTRALIA		76,001	51,399	14,838	8,167				0				
MAURITIUS		273,240	395,632	48,917	74,025				0				
MOZAMBIQUE		62,192	43,062	12,353	9,047				0				
REP SOUTH AFRICA		81,383	30,534	16,767	6,907	10,665	6,907	6,907	1,752				
SWAZILAND		194,965	32,985	38,115	5,794	18,325	18,325	18,325	3,212				
OTHER		25,115	52,352	5,979	12,547				0				
		176,774	187,236	35,451	41,035	11,956	25,060	25,060	2,035				
MOLASSES, INEOIBLE	MT												
MEXICO		930,408	855,007	87,893	62,910	95,853	76,252	76,252	8,380				
GUATEMALA		187,470	275,646	15,724	18,604	49,763	22,976	22,976	3,390				
NICARAGUA		82,299	45,926	8,801	4,455			3,819	0				
PANAMA		41,075	25,246	4,155	1,356	296	42	42	12				
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		19,815	36,138	2,184	2,958	2,774	7,356	7,356	237				
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		76,769	84,375	7,455	5,852	11,423	9	9	1,047				
COLOMBIA		14,308	32,803	1,851	2,796	3,464	8,439	8,439	328				
GUYANA		31,920	27,284	3,370	2,028				0				
ECUADOR		20,123	24,138	1,986	1,490			11,927	0				
PERU		32,709	9,937	1,796	770	3,205	0	0	255				
CHILE		16,693	28,215	1,996	2,366			2,631	0				
BRAZIL		7,650	15,060	944	1,524				0				
FRANCE		76,596	52,719	8,183	3,669	223	0	0	645				
AUSTRALIA		53,837	16,252	6,095	2,464	8,640	0	0	1,290				
MAURITIUS		88,418	55,985	8,211	4,321	5,568	0	0	290				
REP SOUTH AFRICA		33,461	26,916	2,025	1,808				0				
OTHER		28,058	22,172	2,398	1,102				0				
		115,208	76,196	10,719	5,348	10,497	19,053	19,053	887				
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MT												
CANADA		42,912	36,650	53,109	51,735	4,235	3,701	3,701	5,237				
COLOMBIA		1,324	1,171	1,640	1,214	119	234	234	120				
BRAZIL		2,980	2,997	2,067	2,198	395	301	301	278				
ARGENTINA		3,148	2,042	2,393	1,469	352	202	202	282				
SWEDEN		3,296	3,525	2,270	2,765	457	303	303	320				
DENMARK		2,058	1,905	2,348	2,193	188	107	107	213				
UNITED KINGDOM		1,095	837	1,510	1,273	59	33	33	75				
NETHERLANDS		15,015	10,721	17,206	14,748	1,081	1,295	1,295	1,294				
		1,981	1,474	3,174	2,530	158	105	105	279				

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TABLE 17--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		VALUE	
		76/77	77/78 1/	76/77	77/78 1/	1977	1978 1/	1977	1978 1/
			1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,155	1,955	3,183	7,544	160	125	478	448
SPAIN		3,265	1,957	6,410	4,082	529	108	822	487
ITALY		2,003	2,514	3,373	3,949	180	247	300	409
HONG KONG		1,028	797	1,669	1,239	82	81	137	136
OTHER		4,562	4,755	5,863	6,531	476	560	640	720
TOMATOES, FRESH	MT	354,688	374,587	146,687	161,623	3,387	5,717	1,700	3,009
MEXICO		352,046	372,716	145,827	160,844	3,244	5,549	1,661	2,940
OTHER		2,642	1,871	861	779	143	168	40	68
BEANS, DRIED, INC MUNG	MT	17,039	5,031	4,065	3,019	2,634	810	1,129	371
CANADA		950	905	407	572	234	1	94	2
MEXICO		299	264	144	177	1	3	0	3
PERU		651	277	503	145	109	22	79	10
CHILE		1,558	1,476	531	715	493	662	159	282
ARGENTINA		427	420	149	162	142	0	52	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		710	399	311	176	440	23	206	11
PORTUGAL		88	81	74	72	0	0	0	0
THAILAND		7,873	187	3,870	110	294	11	149	5
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		53	128	46	118	5	20	7	11
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		120	212	124	175	2	6	4	6
KENYA		159	276	138	250	12	28	12	21
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		3,041	0	1,152	0	834	0	317	0
OTHER		1,108	405	544	346	73	35	51	21
MUSHROOMS, PREP OR PRES	MT	24,208	38,226	56,878	91,409	3,269	3,959	7,412	9,771
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		7,256	11,474	16,939	25,125	509	1,277	1,220	2,864
HONG KONG		933	3,228	2,118	6,284	220	266	505	472
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		14,983	21,981	35,000	55,356	2,454	2,215	5,477	5,926
OTHER		1,036	1,543	2,821	4,445	86	200	209	508
OLIVES, IN BRINE	MLTR	54,405	63,705	69,668	65,764	4,674	3,998	5,944	5,899
SPAIN		49,050	58,913	65,828	62,365	4,486	3,792	5,767	5,662
GREECE		4,297	3,390	2,941	2,545	122	149	113	178
OTHER		1,058	1,403	860	834	67	58	64	59
TOMATOES, PREP OR PRES	MT	65,230	56,643	29,202	27,153	4,735	3,542	2,509	1,716
MEXICO		9,920	11,698	6,118	7,172	1,870	1,358	1,199	744
CHILE		2,042	927	958	495	0	329	0	163
SPAIN		9,977	12,589	3,940	5,134	340	454	174	170
PORTUGAL		7,690	1,609	3,797	1,149	0	16	0	14
ITALY		18,857	18,329	8,011	7,913	1,581	850	654	393
ISRAEL		8,667	6,838	2,895	2,640	491	436	266	172
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		6,332	2,501	2,627	1,349	300	63	127	36
OTHER		1,744	2,171	865	1,280	153	35	89	24
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	31,250	47,448	---	---	2,810	3,750
CANADA	---	---	---	665	822	---	---	48	53

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TABLE 17--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-AUGUST		AUGUST		1978 1/		1978 1/		1978 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.	1977	1,000 DOL.
GUATEMALA		---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLOMBIA		---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NETHERLANDS		---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER		---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MALT LIQUORS	MLTR	278,034	334,192	145,550	190,127	30,322	40,452	16,021	24,066	16,021	24,066
CANADA		74,651	96,782	29,122	36,254	9,468	11,339	3,521	4,347	3,521	4,347
MEXICO		18,917	22,456	8,695	11,848	1,834	2,907	875	1,615	875	1,615
UNITED KINGDOM		5,037	7,248	2,454	4,122	364	587	188	395	188	395
NETHERLANDS		119,760	143,379	72,033	98,557	11,908	18,343	7,502	12,982	7,502	12,982
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		36,567	37,471	22,408	25,527	4,309	4,646	2,738	3,277	2,738	3,277
OTHER		23,102	26,858	10,938	13,821	2,436	2,630	1,198	1,451	1,198	1,451
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	125,239	138,774	276,761	341,116	14,679	12,715	37,106	31,838	37,106	31,838
CANADA		1,244	2,969	2,078	8,020	51	458	71	1,354	71	1,354
MEXICO		4,562	9,917	7,417	17,253	478	399	1,156	749	1,156	749
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		4,573	3,498	7,950	6,397	306	335	563	627	335	627
BRAZIL		10,762	13,531	14,371	24,553	1,361	1,492	2,393	1,607	1,361	1,607
ITALY		10,109	8,843	12,985	12,909	873	554	1,420	943	873	943
YUGOSLAVIA		5,908	6,851	18,343	23,117	479	605	1,601	2,149	605	2,149
GREECE		8,000	10,206	28,693	35,704	845	1,076	3,048	3,813	845	3,813
BULGARIA		5,407	7,196	15,478	22,708	1,483	401	3,871	1,298	1,483	3,871
TURKEY		38,957	37,326	98,791	111,961	5,242	3,809	14,256	11,926	5,242	11,926
LEBANON		3,239	2,151	9,670	5,092	235	128	743	349	235	349
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		9,047	7,466	18,557	18,608	1,157	334	2,596	664	1,157	664
OTHER		23,429	28,820	42,425	54,703	2,168	3,124	5,388	6,358	2,168	6,358
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MT	67,837	69,130	186,273	213,991	9,510	6,719	26,035	21,234	9,510	21,234
ITALY		7,169	4,305	10,028	7,081	829	435	1,326	759	829	759
YUGOSLAVIA		5,900	6,842	18,340	23,105	479	605	1,601	2,149	479	2,149
GREECE		7,845	9,702	28,460	35,078	844	1,055	3,046	3,792	844	3,792
BULGARIA		5,406	7,196	15,477	22,709	1,482	401	3,870	1,298	1,482	3,870
TURKEY		35,777	35,232	97,349	110,918	5,141	3,692	14,195	11,877	5,141	11,877
SYRIA		1,465	1,707	4,614	5,143	172	87	492	280	172	280
LEBANON		3,239	1,801	9,670	4,872	235	128	743	349	235	349
OTHER		1,036	2,345	2,334	5,085	329	316	762	729	329	729
WINES	MLTR	240,401	284,785	341,441	447,033	25,189	31,792	37,786	50,856	25,189	37,786
FRANCE		47,528	50,838	121,000	155,874	5,427	5,028	14,378	17,267	5,427	17,267
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		38,136	42,015	59,840	79,445	4,059	4,995	7,103	9,524	4,059	9,524
SPAIN		24,390	23,108	29,029	31,320	2,075	2,054	2,360	2,767	2,075	2,767
PORTUGAL		21,269	21,951	24,255	25,981	2,052	2,787	2,323	3,557	2,052	3,557
ITALY		96,397	132,005	91,094	133,693	10,404	15,446	9,983	15,802	10,404	15,802
OTHER		12,681	14,867	16,223	20,720	1,171	1,481	1,640	1,940	1,171	1,940

1/ PRELIMINARY

SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE

In August, international commodity prices remained steady or moderated. Since July, wheat prices have remained steady, while prices for corn, grain sorghum, rice, soybeans, soybean meal, and coffee declined. Cotton, beef, sugar, cocoa bean, and rubber prices, however, are higher than they were in July. Most commodity prices are higher than they were a year ago. Coffee and cocoa beans are notable exceptions.

Export commodities

Even though the United States is harvesting a smaller wheat crop, the world wheat crop is larger than last year, with wheat prices generally staying steady. Moreover, U.S. export prices are being influenced by price support loans and reserve stockpiling. U.S. No. 2 Hard Winter and Dark Northern Spring wheat stayed steady at \$352 and \$323 a bushel respectively. In contrast, prices were falling at this time last year.

Despite late planting due to the wet spring, the U.S. corn crop is estimated at a record 6.8 billion bushels. As a result, at the Gulf Ports, U.S. No. 2 Yellow corn is down to \$2.43 a bushel, 12 cents lower than in July.

Due to a drought in Texas, cotton prices are heading up with the Osaka price reaching 71 cents a pound in August; last year it was at 57 cents a pound and going down. To add to the demand, China's cotton crop is experiencing weather problems.

Following last year's trend, New York spot coffee prices declined to \$1.41 a pound, despite claims of frost in Brazil. Colombia is harvesting a record crop of 10.1 million bags, 8.6 million of which are exportable.

The U.S. sorghum crop is expected to be down about 12 percent from last year. Yet, Rotterdam prices for sorghum averaged lower at \$102 per ton because of competition with the large availabilities of corn.

As the United States debates domestic sugar policy, the international price is strengthening. Reasons for this strengthening is a strong feeling that the United States will sign the International Sugar Agreement (ISA) by the December 31, 1978 deadline. The effects of the temporary ISA are starting to be felt as past stocks are depleted.

Cocoa production, down 5 percent from a year ago, caused prices to rise in August. Also, the weakness of the U.S. dollar on currency markets helped strengthen cocoa prices. Last year prices were on a general downswing.

Soybeans prices are declining, but not quite as much as last year. August Gulf port prices for No. 2 Yellow U.S. soybeans dropped 27 cents to \$6.81 per bushel. Last August prices dropped 50 cents as U.S. soybean production recovered from the previous year's low level. Even though the United States is harvesting a record 1978 soybean crop, demand for soybeans and soybean products is expected to remain strong.

Domestic U.S. beef prices have been going down ever since farmers increased their slaughter in reaction to President Carter's allowing more foreign beef into the country. In contrast, the price of imported beef increased to 92 cents a pound, whereas last year the trend from February to August was down.

Rice prices are generally headed down this year, reaching \$366 a ton in August. The record U.S. crop is having a major effect on the price.

The New York spot price for rubber rose 4 percent in August as a result of recent strong demand by Japan, the United States, and the U.S.S.R.

TABLE 18-- SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE

YEAR AND MONTH	WHEAT U.S. NO. 2, HARD WINTER, ORDINARY PROTEIN, F.O.B., VESSEL, GULF PORTS	WHEAT, U.S. NO. 2, HARD WINTER, ORDINARY PROTEIN, F.O.B., ROTTERDAM 1/	WHEAT U.S. NO. 2, DARK NORTHERN SPRING F.O.B., DULUTH	WHEAT, U.S. NO. 2, DARK NORTHERN SPRING, C.I.F., ROTTERDAM 1/	WHEAT, NO. 1 CANADIAN, WESTERN RED SPRING 13-1/2, PERCENT PROTEIN, IN STORE THUNDER BAY ROTTERDAM 1/	WHEAT, NO. 1 CANADIAN, WESTERN PED SPRING 13-1/2, PERCENT PROTEIN, C.I.F., ROTTERDAM 1/ GULF PORTS	CORN, U.S. NO. 3 YELLOW, C.I.F., ROTTERDAM: 1/
	\$/CU. \$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU. \$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	CAN.\$/BU. \$/M.T.	\$/M.T.	\$/BU. \$/M.T.
1977 AVERAGE	2.86 104.90	113.	2.93 106.71	126.	3.35 115.90	133.	2.49 98.19 106.
JANUARY.....	2.97 109.13	117.	3.07 112.89	145.	3.36 122.13	145.	2.86 112.59 123.
FEBRUARY.....	3.04 111.70	119.	3.12 114.64	135.	3.50 125.11	134.	2.93 115.35 125.
MARCH.....	2.97 109.13	119.	3.10 113.91	134.	3.56 124.45	135.	2.78 109.44 127.
APRIL.....	2.83 103.98	113.	3.05 112.07	130.	3.45 120.63	133.	2.73 107.47 115.
MAY.....	2.65 97.37	107.	2.88 105.82	127.	3.30 115.65	134.	2.64 103.93 111.
JUNE.....	2.56 94.06	100.	2.79 99.21	115.	3.14 109.10	127.	2.45 96.45 103.
JULY.....	2.66 97.74	103.	2.60 95.53	111.	3.02 104.59	121.	2.25 88.58 96.
AUGUST.....	2.63 96.64	104.	2.57 94.43	110.	3.02 103.21	117.	2.03 79.92 87.
SEPTEMBER.....	2.78 102.15	111.	2.85 104.72	121.	3.22 110.23	129.	2.07 81.49 88.
OCTOBER.....	2.90 106.56	114.	2.95 108.39	126.	3.42 114.36	137.	2.17 85.43 91.
NOVEMBER.....	3.12 117.64	123.	3.02 110.97	131.	3.66 121.26	144.	2.47 97.24 104.
DECEMBER.....	3.18 116.84	122.	2.94 108.03	132.	3.58 119.93	145.	2.55 100.39 108.
1978							
JANUARY.....	3.25 119.42	126.	2.96 108.76	142.	3.66 122.15	153.	2.57 101.18 108.
FEBRUARY.....	3.29 120.89	128.	2.93 107.66	147.	3.79 125.13	155.	2.71 106.69 111.
MARCH.....	3.43 126.03	138.	3.05 112.07	147.	3.96 129.33	148.	2.80 110.23 116.
APRIL.....	3.67 134.85	147.	3.35 123.09	147.	4.17 134.37	155.	3.04 119.68 129.
MAY.....	3.48 127.87	140.	3.30 121.25	145.	4.11 135.08	159.	2.97 116.92 127.
JUNE.....	3.52 129.34	142.	3.18 116.84	142.	4.12 134.98	157.	2.81 110.62 120.
JULY.....	3.52 129.34	140.	3.23 118.68	138.	4.09 133.69	N.Q.	2.55 100.39 108.
AUGUST.....	3.52 129.34	142.	3.23 118.68	140.	4.14 133.61	160.	2.43 95.66 105.
SEPTEMBER.....							
OCTOBER.....							
NOVEMBER.....							
DECEMBER.....							

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TABLE 18--SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE--CONTINUED

YEAR AND MONTH	CORN : ARGENTINE : C.I.F. : ROTTERDAM :	SORGHUM : GRAIN, U.S. : NO. 2, C.I.F. : ROTTERDAM :	RICE THAILAND : WHITE 5-PERCENT : BROKEN : F.O.B. BANGKOK :	SOYBEANS, U.S. : NO. 2, BULK, : C.I.F. : ROTTERDAM :	SOYBEANS, U.S. : NO. 2, BULK, : C.I.F. : ROTTERDAM :	SOYBEAN MEAL, : U.S. 44 PER- : CENT, C.I.F. : ROTTERDAM :	COTTON, ARIZONA : STRICT MIDDLING : 1-1/16 INCHES : C.I.F. OSAKA :
	\$/M.T. : -----	\$/M.T. : -----	\$/M.T. : -----	\$/BU. : -----	\$/M.T. : -----	\$/M.T. : -----	C/LB. : -----
1977 AVERAGE	114.	99.	272.	7.37	270.92	232.	67.22
JANUARY.....	132.00	111.	259.	7.36	270.43	251.	72.25
FEBRUARY.....	132.00	113.	257.	7.78	285.87	248.	77.33
MARCH.....	127.08	108.	261.	8.65	317.83	272.	84.67
APRIL.....	120.22	100.	252.	10.03	368.54	316.	82.62
MAY.....	113.60	97.	257.	9.84	361.56	298.	75.55
JUNE.....	111.82	92.	265.	8.50	312.32	253.	68.95
JULY.....	101.24	89.	270.	6.80	249.86	221.	61.81
AUGUST.....	93.11	87.	275.	6.30	231.49	174.	57.19
SEPTEMBER.....	94.62	87.	275.	5.36	196.95	174.	56.50
OCTOBER.....	100.73	91.	278.	5.41	198.78	179.	56.75
NOVEMBER.....	113.90	104.	294.	6.14	225.61	200.	55.49
DECEMBER.....	126.00	103.	324.	6.31	231.85	200.	57.50
1978							
JANUARY.....	126.52	101.	338.	6.24	229.28	200.	70.75
FEBRUARY.....	121.79	101.	374.	6.33	232.59	188.	65.75
MARCH.....	123.99	102.	396.	7.20	264.55	215.	68.58
APRIL.....	138.60	115.	411.	7.54	277.05	224.	69.25
MAY.....	133.35	112.	409.	7.78	285.87	220.	70.75
JUNE.....	133.73	108.	404.	7.25	266.39	208.	70.75
JULY.....	127.66	105.	384.	7.08	260.15	207.	67.65
AUGUST.....	134.24	102.	366.	6.81	250.22	202.	70.95
SEPTEMBER.....							
OCTOBER.....							
NOVEMBER.....							
DECEMBER.....							

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TABLE 18--SELECTED PRICES OF INTERNATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE---CONTINUED

YEAR AND MONTH	IMPORTED COW MEAT, 92-PERCENT LEAN, FROZEN, BONELESS, F.O.B. U.S. PORT OF ENTRY	COFFEE, FROM SANTOS, NO. 4 NEW YORK SPOT	SUGAR, RAW, CANE, 96 DEGREE NEW YORK SPOT PRICE	SUGAR, RAW, CANE F.O.B. AND STOKED CARIBBEAN PORTS, LONDON DAILY PRICE	NEW YORK COCOA BEAN FUTURES PRICE	CRUDE RUBBER, NO. 1 RIBBED SMOKED SHEETS, NEW YORK SPOT	DOW JONES COMMODITY SPOT PRICE INDEX
	C/LB.	\$/LB.	C/LB.	\$/M.T.	\$/LB.	\$/M.T.	1950=100
1977 AVG.	68.43	2.41	10.99	242.	8.18	3793.	389.
JANUARY..	71.55	2.22	10.95	241.	8.46	3404.	380.
FEBRUARY..	74.35	2.40	11.06	244.	9.70	3810.	398.
MARCH.....	73.56	3.16	11.67	257.	9.02	4043.	435.
APRIL.....	76.33	3.27	12.57	277.	10.10	3576.	431.
MAY.....	67.95	3.05	11.34	250.	9.04	3748.	422.
JUNE.....	66.28	2.80	10.28	227.	8.08	4301.	405.
JULY.....	64.31	2.18	10.15	224.	7.47	4429.	381.
AUGUST.....	63.01	2.02	10.37	229.	7.69	4070.	360.
SEPTEMBER..	64.18	1.97	10.09	220.	7.38	3920.	370.
OCTOBER....	66.37	1.85	9.84	217.	7.14	3516.	367.
NOVEMBER..	67.43	1.90	10.42	230.	7.04	3534.	368.
DECEMBER..	71.89	2.05	11.75	259.	8.09	3269.	349.
1978							
JANUARY...	77.81	2.09	13.28	293.	8.77	2892.	348.
FEBRUARY...	86.80	2.04	14.75	325.	8.48	2842.	349.
MARCH.....	90.70	1.79	13.99	308.	7.74	3393.	359.
APRIL.....	101.51	1.72	15.82	349.	7.59	3382.	362.
MAY.....	102.10	1.57	15.76	347.	7.32	3100.	360.
JUNE.....	90.20	1.72	13.57	299.	7.23	2976.	360.
JULY.....	88.63	1.50	12.63	278.	6.42	3153.	354.
AUGUST....	91.86	1.41	13.29	293.	7.08	3325.	362.
SEPTEMBER..							
OCTOBER...							
NOVEMBER..							
DECEMBER..							

N.O. = NO QUOTATION.

1/ OFFERING PRICES.

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U.S.-MEXICAN AGRICULTURAL TRADE UP SHARPLY IN 1977

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In 1977, U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico jumped nearly 80 percent over the previous year to almost \$645 million, second in value only to 1974's record \$863 million. Farm product imports from Mexico continued to expand, after a decline in 1975, to a record 1977 high of \$1,013 million, up 42 percent from 1976. In 1977, Mexico again had a favorable balance of agricultural trade with the United States. At the same time, the United States maintained its traditional favorable balance of total trade with Mexico, but not by much (fig.1). Mexico continues to be an important trading partner of the United States, purchasing a total of \$4.7 billion worth of goods last year and supplying the U.S. market with products valued at \$4.6 billion.

Crop shortfalls and continued population pressure increased Mexican demand for coarse grains, oilseeds, and wheat from the United States in 1977. Grains and oilseeds accounted for about 60 percent of total U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico in 1977. U.S. imports of Mexican cattle, tomatoes, and strawberries increased 73 percent to \$255 million. Coffee imports were up 48 percent in value, although volume declined by nearly a quarter.

Maintaining basic food supplies and an expanding feed industry continued to increase Mexican demand for U.S. exports during 1977. U.S. wheat exports to Mexico were up sharply, after 2 years of scarcely any trade, to 452.6 thousand tons valued at \$41.2 million, and corn soared to a new record of 1.72 million tons valued at \$176.3 million. Continued growth in the Mexican feed industry increased demand for U.S. exports of sorghum, soybeans, and soybean meal. Sorghum exports to Mexico were up to 669.4 thousand tons valued at \$66.8 million and soybeans reached an alltime high of 413.5 thousand tons valued at \$108.3 million. Soybean meal and soybean oil exports were both sharply higher than the previous year. Lard, tallow, and cattle hides were also higher in 1977.

U.S. imports of Mexican cattle and meat were higher as consumer demand and prices strengthened. Fresh vegetables and fruit imports continued to advance. Strawberry imports were 84 percent higher reaching 52.5 thousand tons valued at \$27.6 million, as prices declined slightly from 1976 levels. Fresh cantaloupe imports were 30 percent higher, as value increased 46 percent to \$20.4 million. Cucumber import volume was up 20 percent; peppers gained 28 percent; and tomatoes climbed 21 percent. Tomatoes, the largest item in this group, were valued at \$149.4 million, with volume expanding from 294 thousand tons in 1976 to 356 thousand tons in 1977. Higher coffee prices more than offset the decline in quantity imported, as the value jumped 46 percent to \$370 million.

Outlook for U.S.-Mexican Trade During 1978

Improved economic conditions both in the United States and Mexico should continue to improve agricultural trade between the two countries, although Mexican concern about their food supply situation could dampen U.S. imports from Mexico. U.S. exports to Mexico for the first seven months of 1978 were 4 percent above the same period in 1977. Wheat exports were up sharply because of the short 1977 crop. Corn exports were off slightly, while sorghum was about half of what it was during the first of 1977. Part of the decline in corn and sorghum exports was due to a shortage of rail transportation in Mexico to move imported grain. First priority for rail transportation was given for the

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movement of wheat and sorghum from the northern part of the country. This situation should improve during the last half of 1978. The outlook for Mexico's 1978 corn and sorghum crops remains optimistic at this time. Exports of most U.S. agricultural products to Mexico were higher for the first half of 1978 when compared to 1977.

Agricultural imports from Mexico for the first half of 1978 were valued at \$698 million, down 7 percent from the same period in 1977. The main factor in this decline was coffee, which fell nearly 50 percent to \$163.6 million. Strawberries, honey, and cocoa were down 15 to 23 percent. Cattle, beef, cucumber, tomato, and melon exports were higher.

Table19 --U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico, January-July 1978

Commodity	Quantity	Value	Value change from same period in 1977
	--1,000 M.T.--	--1,000 dollars--	Percent
Wheat	128	15.2	1/
Corn	655	75.1	-9
Grain sorghum, excl. seed	269	28.8	-52
Seed, incl. grain sorghum	32	13.2	+35
Soybean	231	63.5	+33
Other oilseeds	69	16.2	+744
Soybean cake & Meal	56	12.0	-76
Dairy products	---	12.2	+87
Live animals	---	7.9	+8
Lard	14	8.3	-13
Tallow & greases	33	13.6	+61
Hides & skins	---	27.4	+58
Other products	---	77.1	---
Total		370.6	+4

1/ Up from \$1.2 million in same 1977 period.

Table20 --U.S. agricultural imports from Mexico, January-July 1978

Commodity	Quantity	Value	Value change from same period in 1977
	--1,000 M.T.--	--1,000 dollars--	Percent
Cattle (head)	403	50.4	+43
Beef, boneless; fresh, chilled ..	16	28.5	+30
Cucumbers, fresh	105	29.2	+119
Tomatoes, fresh	337	144.7	+9
Strawberries, frozen	35	16.7	-15
Melons	191	32.4	+8
Honey	6	3.8	-23
Cocoa	3	11.5	-22
Coffee	45	163.6	-49
Other products	---	217.2	---
Total		698.0	-7

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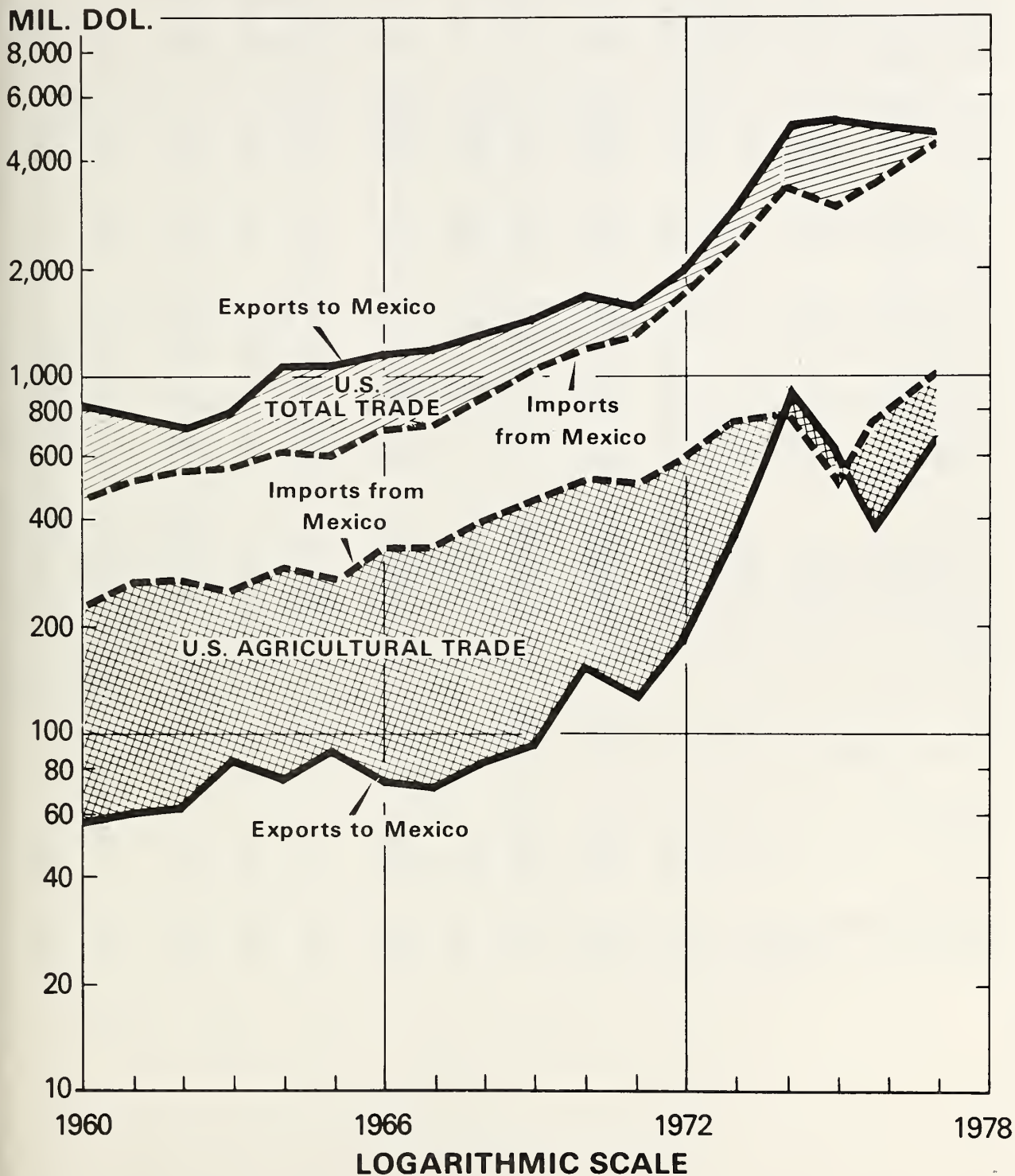


Table 21 --U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico: Quantity and value by commodity, calendar years 1973-77

Commodity	Unit	Quantity					Value				
		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/
		-- Thousands --					-- 1,000 dollars --				
Animals, live:											
Cattle	No.	31	63	115	92	29	16,960	27,426	32,007	33,130	15,865
Horses	do.	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/	382	213	338	417	149
Poultry, including baby chicks	do.	950	598	542	898	747	1,719	1,288	1,038	1,901	1,589
Sheep, lambs, and goats	do.	58	229	174	34	63	577	2,963	2,200	804	1,493
Swine	do.	5	7	3	2	2	573	1,344	617	538	496
Other live animals	do.	--	--	--	--	--	21	39	14	18	3
Meats and preparations:											
Beef and veal, fresh or frozen	Lb.	63	663	904	1,191	1,273	58	654	770	1,001	1,113
Edible offals, fresh or frozen	do.	34,202	7,078	34,879	43,329	28,666	6,348	12,118	8,203	10,682	7,030
Pork, fresh or frozen	do.	1,450	1,239	1,604	3,292	11,768	378	534	554	1,169	3,127
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen	do.	1,372	1,569	10,405	12,817	13,163	1,345	1,818	3,915	4,287	4,639
Other	do.	1,372	1,569	3,969	1,965	1,242	501	925	1,912	1,182	1,827
Dairy products and eggs:											
Cheese	do.	177	252	450	585	648	137	196	393	487	519
Milk and cream, dry	do.	2,477	4,780	3,918	12,005	6,672	332	625	924	1,642	1,279
Milk, dry skim, excluding relief	do.	631	861	478	737	83	202	328	130	187	66
Milk, evaporated or condensed	do.	38,074	36,329	49,521	43,731	28,363	7,165	8,102	12,515	12,002	7,689
Eggs, in shell	Doz.	299	366	1,003	1,150	244	250	307	749	825	228
Milk, dry skim relief	Lb.	495	0	445	755	232	181	0	119	145	35
Other	do.	--	--	--	--	--	380	711	1,409	1,943	2,714
Grains and products:											
Barley, unmilled	Bu.	2,578	8,280	8,581	117	5	5,320	26,202	36,951	631	12
Corn, unmilled, excluding seed	do.	32,615	54,568	55,448	26,965	67,538	78,556	194,148	208,778	82,594	176,308
Corn, seed, excluding sweet corn	do.	79	809	155	41	79	390	3,288	847	435	666
Grain sorghum, unmilled, excl. seed	do.	718	17,752	19,975	398	26,351	1,062	55,278	62,489	1,068	66,823
Grain sorghum, seed	do.	465	454	326	727	486	3,329	3,557	3,000	6,633	5,458
Oats, unmilled	do.	266	401	595	170	48	327	685	1,114	92	29
Popcorn, unpopped	Lb.	11,918	11,973	14,191	14,812	12,163	978	1,407	1,944	2,041	1,522
Rice, milled or unmilled	do.	916	174	1,516	2,749	2,446	91	33	317	460	362
Wheat, excluding relief, unmilled	Bu.	25,755	37,246	2,438	25	16,629	72,783	181,521	12,879	134	41,227
Grain products:											
Malt, malt flour	Lb.	3,485	882	3,509	3,483	0	250	160	588	498	0
Oatmeal	Owt.	26	2/	2/	2/	2/	115	1	8	19	1
Wheat flour	do.	33	24	20	24	22	87	92	161	146	132
Other	do.	--	--	--	--	--	3,162	858	1,369	1,462	1,093
Fruits and nuts:											
Fresh fruits:											
Apples	Lb.	11,044	14,997	17,946	19,951	15,891	1,057	1,863	2,496	2,535	2,363
Grapes	do.	464	878	953	1,123	564	50	133	165	243	135
Lemons and limes	do.	1,058	2,364	1,912	3,067	2,471	85	192	166	272	190
Oranges and tangerines	do.	184	153	1,147	1,433	1,253	14	20	100	109	102
Peaches and nectarines	do.	1,911	2,420	2,086	1,911	2,007	136	360	354	325	332
Pears	do.	2,769	3,711	4,452	3,034	3,061	325	502	657	556	566
Tropical fruit, n.s.p.f.	do.	4,755	5,548	8,255	4,156	5,971	948	1,447	1,917	1,386	1,668
Other	do.	--	--	--	--	--	141	281	301	334	311
Prepared fruits:											
Fruit juices	Gal.	464	601	612	471	277	207	273	413	353	189
Prunes, dried	Lb.	2,008	1,807	3,174	1,158	2,484	329	379	789	332	603
Raisins, dried	do.	863	614	581	603	241	193	93	94	54	26
Other prepared fruits	do.	--	--	--	--	--	1,087	616	1,024	852	485
Nuts:											
Almonds, shelled or unshelled	Lb.	863	1,185	2,255	1,520	1,760	555	897	1,178	703	878
Pecans	do.	24	134	484	459	162	14	68	277	252	62
Walnuts, shelled or unshelled	do.	333	376	426	228	236	117	141	148	126	123
Other	do.	525	480	898	719	988	369	452	820	554	945
Vegetables and preparations:											
Fresh vegetables:											
Carrots	do.	1,322	1,041	709	458	564	62	75	63	45	53
Celery	do.	874	736	909	576	763	59	77	119	96	125
Lettuce	do.	1,776	2,449	1,836	2,681	2,428	107	209	180	290	251
Potatoes	do.	16,640	30,351	17,944	23,352	29,847	532	1,506	630	977	1,386
Tomatoes	do.	535	1,992	1,811	5,323	2,120	48	226	213	728	283
Other	do.	--	--	--	--	--	154	131	315	397	450
Prepared vegetables:											
Beans, dried, excluding seed	Lb.	21,367	113,727	112,890	20,911	12,742	2,078	30,906	31,958	2,937	1,710
Seed beans	do.	4,016	852	1,021	405	446	861	414	510	189	202
Hops	do.	963	1,905	1,553	876	1,053	746	1,596	1,876	823	1,038
Peas	do.	2,300	1,870	1,264	1,569	1,568	270	355	246	345	363
Other	do.	--	--	--	--	--	1,240	1,641	1,962	1,589	1,521

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Table 21 --U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico: Quantity and value by commodity, calendar years 1973-77--continued

Commodity	Unit	Quantity					Value				
		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 ^{1/}	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 ^{1/}
		-- Thousands --					-- 1,000 dollars --				
Sugar, sirup, confectionery	Lb.	6,521	7,809	3,834	6,276	7,173	1,600	3,479	1,576	1,938	1,746
Coffee, cocoa, tea and spices	do.	2,333	3,385	2,633	3,261	3,191	1,185	2,009	2,116	2,742	2,712
Animal feed:											
Oil cake and meal	S. ton	48	61	28	11	215	9,143	8,817	4,212	1,581	57,715
Other	do.	38	144	87	56	51	4,196	14,515	10,694	8,097	7,214
Animal fats and oils:											
Lard, edible	Lb.	41,547	51,351	53,731	61,239	68,488	7,151	12,612	14,533	12,981	15,411
Lard, stearin, inedible	do.	5,610	27,186	916	73	161	931	6,469	330	33	32
Tallow, edible	do.	12,845	31,880	1,800	16	40	2,092	6,235	347	2	7
Tallow, inedible	do.	37,535	45,023	61,649	56,612	88,878	4,087	9,679	11,558	9,547	17,167
Other	do.	3,547	2,706	2,519	326	783	376	1,100	1,147	574	1,162
Sausage casings, hog	do.	1,474	2,619	2,673	3,718	4,817	625	1,145	1,156	1,719	2,195
Beverages, fermented	Gal.	74	79	43	241	125	240	190	131	677	416
Tobacco	Lb.	3	2	0	3	0	1	1	0	4	0
Hides and skins:											
Cattle hides, whole	No.	1,964	2,497	2,350	1,699	1,944	34,696	35,481	25,541	28,421	35,219
Other	do.	---	---	---	---	---	1,462	1,203	1,759	2,014	1,835
Oilseeds:											
Cottonseed	Lb.	15,853	84,224	6,772	137,327	16,362	938	6,801	579	12,109	1,735
Soybeans	Bu.	2,993	12,375	781	8,460	15,181	17,185	81,597	6,705	57,165	108,323
Soybean flour, non-defatted	Lb.	130,883	72,679	10,201	4,192	6,050	16,358	7,145	1,122	594	503
Other	do.	---	---	---	---	---	940	674	802	1,949	6,203
Cotton linters	R. bale	27	26	21	1	1	735	1,284	1,106	41	16
Seeds, nursery stock:											
Alfalfa seed	Lb.	5,933	4,825	4,488	4,208	3,956	3,452	5,714	4,205	4,057	3,544
Seed other	do.	16,209	14,072	7,679	13,569	18,709	5,210	7,110	5,788	7,463	7,991
Nursery stock	do.	---	---	---	---	---	1,154	1,382	1,590	1,783	1,303
Vegetable oils:											
Cottonseed oil	Lb.	57,638	14,871	1	25	26	10,955	3,271	3/	9	13
Soybean oil	do.	44,461	192,220	52,412	4,276	33,789	6,437	53,379	18,160	1,769	10,369
Other	do.	8,923	13	13,164	5,102	5,406	3,643	3,697	3,841	2,590	2,059
Essential oils	do.	353	471	366	611	474	1,690	2,905	2,919	5,614	3,536
Miscellaneous vegetable products:											
8op extract	do.	498	584	390	1,422	791	1,299	1,755	1,225	3,460	1,830
Lecithin	do.	2,773	3,435	602	539	379	359	831	152	179	126
Soups and sauces	do.	8,050	34,541	10,852	9,730	8,831	1,808	2,670	2,776	2,920	2,930
Other food preparations	do.	---	---	---	---	---	2,631	5,202	5,050	2,133	2,166
Starches, albumen, glue, gelatin	Lb.	2,186	1,905	2,154	1,802	2,404	1,438	1,503	2,327	2,404	1,601
Other ^{4/}	do.	---	---	---	---	---	2,175	1,117	4,983	7,346	8,626
Total agricultural exports		---	---	---	---	---	361,985	862,646	585,653	369,891	664,405

^{1/} Preliminary.^{2/} Less than \$500.^{3/} Residual

Table 22--U.S. agricultural imports from Mexico: Quantity and value by commodity, calendar years 1973-77

Commodity	Unit	Quantity					Value				
		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/
		-- Thousands --					-- 1,000 dollars --				
Animals, live:											
Cattle and calves, less than 200 lbs.:No.		15	3	1	5	3	1,349	309	41	378	237
Cattle, 200-700 lbs.do.		635	396	190	492	586	96,362	59,096	23,152	58,204	78,369
Cattle over 700 lbs.do.		23	35	5	10	6	6,488	8,374	1,858	2,379	1,580
Other live animalsdo.		---	---	---	---	---	43	75	121	255	123
Meats and preparations:											
Beef, fresh, chilled, or frozenlb.		64,993	38,036	29,721	52,345	59,780	50,091	30,354	18,545	32,725	38,265
Veal, fresh, chilled, or frozendo.		1,996	769	42	0	0	1,555	743	24	0	0
Mutton, fresh, chilled, or frozendo.		265	1,613	0	0	0	216	1,195	0	0	0
Pork, fresh, chilled, or frozendo.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Horse meat, uncookeddo.		3,995	1,990	289	1,158	381	761	399	33	481	113
Other meat, including edible offalsdo.		526	422	264	494	540	120	119	133	170	154
Eggs:											
Chicken eggs in shelldo.		0	0	0	851	1,298	0	0	0	330	556
Grains and preparations:											
Biscuits, cakes, and bakery products....lb.		2,163	1,878	4,218	4,032	4,836	603	444	1,558	1,617	1,883
Cereal foods and preparationsdo.		4,819	1,692	317	45	447	242	134	41	5	42
Macaronido.		2,543	4,346	7,282	6,687	6,087	518	944	1,728	1,679	1,343
Wheat glutendo.		960	950	1,348	1,412	440	306	443	472	545	203
Wheat, unmilled, including seedbu.		33	124	586	9	0	149	976	4,711	64	0
Other grains and preparationsdo.		---	---	---	---	---	160	264	489	25	1
Fruits and preparations:											
Bananas and plantains, freshlb.		7,025	9,330	10,688	23,332	40,256	253	422	579	1,115	2,202
Berries:											
Strawberries, freshdo.		37,623	43,137	30,765	19,483	23,454	7,032	7,779	6,789	5,037	4,470
Strawberries, frozendo.		106,678	109,417	88,558	38,719	85,296	22,863	25,246	19,174	10,697	21,658
Strawberry paste or pulpdo.		9,464	7,559	6,452	4,630	6,939	1,698	1,376	1,125	1,033	1,513
Other berriesdo.		3,495	1,616	7,257	7,259	17,080	643	314	1,637	2,094	5,000
Grapes, freshdo.		6,894	3,674	6,165	11,232	14,763	801	514	800	1,761	2,250
Grapefruit, freshdo.		6,455	6,182	4,858	9,111	9,494	920	832	743	1,206	1,252
Limes, freshdo.		4,644	6,795	8,472	9,951	17,357	414	325	1,251	1,604	2,417
Mangoes, fresh or prepareddo.		6,938	12,066	14,500	17,029	20,141	1,935	2,762	3,653	3,879	5,061
Melons:											
Cantaloupes, freshdo.		156,607	166,640	138,532	137,878	179,168	10,518	11,485	12,739	13,980	20,375
Watermelons, freshdo.		167,872	165,583	144,048	188,504	175,330	4,162	4,570	6,018	7,614	7,315
Other melons, freshdo.		25,310	33,728	16,465	21,913	24,089	1,415	2,148	1,269	1,931	2,325
Oranges, freshdo.		99,404	81,343	49,037	51,088	78,724	6,884	6,582	4,081	5,746	8,496
Pineapples, freshdo.		---	---	---	---	---	499	421	1,241	1,465	2,052
Pineapple, canned or prepared, excluding jamlb.		24,949	20,745	19,222	30,904	34,381	3,076	4,284	4,463	7,835	8,157
Fruit juice:											
Appledo.		1,322	3,185	0	159	344	1,195	1,100	0	69	315
Limedo.		138	147	795	212	580	98	94	416	141	516
Orangedo.		5,925	5,160	3,315	1,473	13,790	2,391	2,096	1,442	666	8,448
Otherdo.		166	266	275	199	451	92	155	287	107	442
Jellies, jams, pastes, excluding strawberrylb.		3,902	5,202	5,181	5,240	5,067	1,274	1,683	1,785	1,823	1,678
Other fruits and preparationsdo.		---	---	---	---	---	166	448	374	3,376	1,958
Edible nutsdo.		---	---	---	---	---	164	316	308	1,320	3,557
Vegetables and preparations:											
Fresh, chilled, or frozen:											
Asparagusdo.		7,284	9,109	8,485	8,244	7,091	1,454	1,788	2,496	2,490	2,879
Beansdo.		14,720	14,693	10,226	11,988	16,967	2,063	1,638	1,096	1,236	1,202
Carrotsdo.		5,929	9,563	7,893	4,999	18,533	311	385	344	267	728
Cucumbersdo.		166,483	167,865	122,316	196,218	236,154	14,468	8,059	5,869	11,487	17,893
Eggplantdo.		39,157	26,301	25,806	29,719	31,871	4,175	1,332	1,306	1,594	3,277
Garlicdo.		10,584	15,502	16,125	11,290	13,227	2,596	3,474	4,075	3,511	3,926
Okrado.		6,625	7,665	5,855	9,565	16,170	534	639	355	581	927
Onions, excluding setsdo.		124,189	90,347	75,037	74,717	97,450	9,095	7,007	6,846	6,403	8,041
Peasdo.		6,434	7,656	4,668	6,908	6,788	1,300	1,086	806	981	871
Peppersdo.		88,363	86,583	62,397	88,416	112,873	16,132	9,124	7,928	10,485	21,450
Radishesdo.		2,128	3,588	4,036	4,644	2,858	184	337	404	433	363
Squashdo.		38,700	41,925	36,711	51,032	66,863	4,838	2,130	1,893	3,006	6,049
Tomatoesdo.		749,121	590,601	559,094	648,585	785,387	115,138	64,071	64,132	72,428	149,406
Other fresh or frozen vegetablesdo.		31,906	40,777	39,346	39,444	71,962	3,836	5,388	4,217	7,193	9,345
Dried or prepared:											
Artichokes, prepareddo.		693	125	68	64	38	95	26	23	14	15
Asparagus, prepareddo.		3,282	4,546	5,582	2,719	2,315	1,102	1,739	2,428	961	1,099
Beans, drieddo.		2,072	1,329	1,755	439	820	257	228	306	142	200
Chickpeas, prepareddo.		7,224	11,147	5,453	5,082	15,644	1,104	1,799	1,008	1,070	4,003
Mushrooms, canneddo.		232	126	5	0	52	142	78	7	0	49
Tomatoes, canned, excluding pastedo.		5,650	3,970	3,588	278	672	515	458	537	54	116
Tomato paste and saucedo.		4,938	4,931	3,103	13,380	24,338	817	2,200	804	3,287	7,172
Other prepared vegetablesdo.		32,298	---	23,891	38,951	42,399	3,675	5,949	6,780	9,128	9,437
Sugar and related products:											
Sugar, cane or beetdo.		1,255,044	1,071,307	76,079	257	239	108,681	229,218	20,557	78	51
Molasses, inedibledo.		119,232	110,726	74,445	92,270	88,857	34,012	37,282	22,027	24,883	19,678
Honeylb.		4,454	8,768	13,494	31,007	32,713	1,400	3,424	4,725	9,152	8,558
Candy, confectionery productsdo.		942	3,668	1,923	1,678	1,116	177	1,053	714	672	507

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Table 22 --U.S. agricultural imports from Mexico: Quantity and value by commodity, calendar years 1973-77--continued

Commodity	Unit	Quantity					Value				
		1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 1/
		-- Thousands --					-- 1,000 dollars --				
Coffee:											
Coffee, green	Lb.	217,098	175,117	219,834	247,182	186,025	121,650	107,143	133,030	253,628	370,068
Coffee, roasted or ground	do.	10,432	5,258	6,547	10,699	9,564	5,931	3,962	5,386	12,120	26,600
Coffee, soluble	do.	603	42	0	776	76	676	38	0	1,931	321
Cocoa:											
Cocoa beans	do.	19,552	4,154	1	8,209	8,185	6,205	1,797	1	7,506	9,762
Cocoa butter	do.	5,560	5,145	3,333	7,271	2,592	4,667	6,463	3,990	11,730	5,353
Cocoa powder and cake, unsweetened	do.	3,127	1,720	0	1,431	878	378	281	0	859	629
Chocolate	do.	517	822	1,178	1,677	1,291	199	381	608	1,202	1,420
Spices:											
Oregano	do.	2,187	2,245	2,762	1,940	2,756	457	826	1,142	694	931
Paprika	do.	1,019	2,022	1,757	0	29	255	1,203	1,318	0	16
Pepper, red or capsicum	do.	5,527	6,776	3,750	2,257	2,740	1,514	3,031	2,442	1,727	1,935
Vanilla beans	do.	13	22	0	0	5	66	119	0	0	60
Other spices	do.	526	856	2,131	3,203	2,174	128	278	413	800	362
Animal feeds:											
Oil cake and meal	do.	21,337	5,883	3,883	19,943	1	497	103	128	625	1
Other animal feeds	do.	5,182	4,463	2,000	221	34	1,334	1,479	853	1,701	1,869
Beverages:											
Beer, ale	Gal.	2,062	3,153	3,427	5,496	5,278	2,634	4,447	5,603	9,272	9,622
Wine	do.	56	37	17	12	19	172	127	81	64	87
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	10,605	20,538	14,546	11,346	14,271	8,842	16,137	11,041	9,382	11,493
Oilseeds:											
Sesame seed	do.	23,339	15,780	14,546	29,300	41,984	5,223	6,221	5,754	10,346	13,091
Other oilseeds	do.	140	133	182	694	2,162	25	23	53	346	310
Fibers:											
Cotton, raw	do.	2,018	6,451	16,701	9,011	40	699	3,757	9,627	5,757	16
Cotton linters	do.	12,527	13,375	10,966	9,409	15,600	1,709	2,892	2,283	1,729	2,611
Sisal and henequin	Lton:	17	1	2/	2/	0	3,018	120	69	84	0
Other vegetable fibers	do.	---	---	---	---	---	2,139	3,015	2,995	2,672	2,535
Crude animal materials:											
Gelatin	Lb.	351	2,164	2,074	1,323	1,869	363	3,785	2,908	1,464	1,822
Hair, bristles	do.	107	87	84	64	96	189	192	176	137	135
Hides and skins	do.	---	---	---	---	---	57	81	65	105	64
Sausage casings	do.	---	---	---	---	---	860	1,197	1,750	1,865	2,522
Other crude animal materials	do.	---	---	---	---	---	341	145	264	196	234
Crude vegetable products:											
Broomcorn	S.ton:	12	10	12	12	12	8,296	10,227	12,713	12,938	11,487
Seeds, excluding oilseeds	Lb.	1,092	1,802	1,442	2,468	1,691	817	1,272	2,159	2,897	1,938
Other crude vegetable products	do.	---	---	---	---	---	689	963	331	260	444
Waxes:											
Beeswax, unbleached	Lb.	249	371	249	348	729	186	469	272	396	1,200
Candelilla wax	do.	2,597	3,492	2,212	2,617	2,538	1,259	1,752	1,099	1,463	1,588
Crude drugs	do.	609	518	1,457	3,249	2,184	232	457	614	1,069	774
Essential oils:											
Lime oil	do.	633	754	621	517	945	4,406	6,086	5,511	3,899	7,597
Other essential oils	do.	246	294	34	10	23	381	1,031	768	700	792
Starches	do.	3,122	1,622	3,314	7,586	5,616	186	156	360	811	556
Other agricultural products	do.	---	---	---	---	---	1,184	6,176	8,105	3,653	9,314
Competitive products	do.	---	---	---	---	---	591,922	631,889	351,892	409,475	581,951
Noncompetitive products	do.	---	---	---	---	---	151,499	134,676	156,783	301,645	431,176
Total agricultural imports	do.	---	---	---	---	---	743,421	766,565	508,675	711,120	1,013,127

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Less than \$500.

Table 23 --U.S. agricultural exports to Mexico: Quantity and value by commodity, calendar years 1965-77

Year	Wheat, unmilled, excluding relief	Barley, unmilled	Corn, un- milled, exc. seed, exc. relief	Grain sorghum, unmilled, exc. seed	Soybeans	Soybean flour or meal, non- defatted	Soybean oil cake and meal	Soybean oil
1965	81	95,209	14,995	1/50,214	4,768	NA	26,523	1,034
1966	24	38,151	10,448	1/45,771	650	NA	18,297	115
1967	120	4,818	14,420	1/21,920	7,044	NA	14,354	37
1968	2,417	3,369	18,706	1/89,591	8,883	NA	1,963	5,162
1969	2,600	3,090	41,774	7,744	24,217	1	830	3,130
1970	4,808	2,160	491,509	20,771	138,311	48	4,104	7,132
1971	199,693	4,485	16,001	12,176	55,280	771	113,308	171
1972	2/624,618	5,363	186,708	241,584	17,989	9,908	49,294	96
1973	700,935	56,128	828,421	18,237	81,456	59,368	29,030	20,146
1974	1,013,669	180,278	1,386,087	450,926	336,796	32,967	24,494	87,190
1975	66,351	186,821	1,408,459	507,394	21,256	4,627	21,773	23,768
1976	680	2,547	684,645	10,109	230,246	1,901	5,443	1,625
1977	452,572	109	1,715,562	669,353	413,463	n.a.	191,418	15,252
1977 4/				1,000 dollars, f.o.b.				
1965	6	7,469	976	2,590	484	NA	2,500	303
1966	2	3,043	625	2,212	71	NA	1,987	33
1967	8	445	868	1,003	892	NA	1,545	13
1968	144	262	1,469	4,596	1,019	NA	233	1,218
1969	159	203	2,996	425	2,726	1	86	753
1970	296	147	32,153	1,131	14,629	19	372	2,124
1971	12,811	268	1,252	743	6,604	72	12,063	49
1972	2/41,679	327	12,691	13,873	2,061	1,350	5,711	27
1973	72,783	5,320	78,556	1,062	17,185	16,338	7,156	6,430
1974	181,521	26,202	194,148	55,278	81,597	7,145	4,285	53,374
1975	12,879	36,951	208,778	62,489	6,705	1,122	3,897	18,155
1976	134	631	82,572	1,068	57,165	594	926	1,538
1977	41,227	12	176,308	66,823	108,323	n.a.	57,332	10,319
	Cottonseed	Cottonseed oil cake and meal	Cottonseed oil	Lard	Tallow, inedible	Cattle hides, whole 3/	Beans dried, excluding seed	
1965	1,265	0	20,648	5,058	394	1,181	1,194	
1966	879	18	5,302	6,936	1,265	775	5,282	
1967	1,249	263	10	7,098	1,447	1,512	5,377	
1968	1,055	220	13	10,804	3,776	1,795	6,787	
1969	4,257	442	1,272	15,970	17,815	1,679	7,360	
1970	17,120	1,764	15,795	20,280	30,842	1,996	17,789	
1971	30,414	16,483	38	11,807	15,929	2,125	8,804	
1972	337	82	3	11,932	2,106	1,703	4,544	
1973	7,191	14,515	26,139	18,846	17,026	1,964	9,828	
1974	38,204	29,937	6,750	23,293	20,422	2,479	51,638	
1975	3,072	3,629	---	24,372	27,964	2,350	51,184	
1976	62,291	4,536	4	27,778	25,679	1,699	9,485	
1977	7,422	3,629	---	31,066	40,315	1,944	5,778	
1977 4/								

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SECOND QUARTER EXPORT PRICES HIGHER; IMPORT PRICES DECLINE

During the second quarter of 1978, export unit values of most major agricultural commodities were on the upswing--particularly major grains, the soybean complex, tallow, and cattle hides. However, cotton and tobacco export unit values declined. While most commodity prices have continued upward since the fourth quarter of 1977, soybean and soybean product export unit values are lower than they were a year ago, when prices were bid up as a result of the short U.S. soybean crop. Recent strength in soybean export unit values stemmed from heavy export demand. While the price of flue-cured tobacco declined in the second quarter of 1978, it was still 10 percent higher than a year earlier.

Export Commodities

As evidenced by the larger volume of exports, the major grains have experienced rising prices because of this year's increased export demand. Underlying this strong demand was the 8 percent decline in 1977 world wheat production and a slight decline in world coarse grain production. Moreover, farmers' participation in the U.S. loan and reserve program provided strength to export prices for wheat and corn. The second quarter U.S. export unit value for wheat was 7 percent higher than it was a year ago, while corn moved up slightly to \$110 per ton. Rice prices strengthened through the crop year because of poor Indonesian and Malaysian crops and export limitations by Thailand. The second quarter export unit value for rice was 29 percent higher than last year.

From the second quarter of 1977 to the second quarter of 1978, the 10-percent increase in world cotton production brought a 20-percent drop in the U.S. export unit value for cotton.

Import Commodities

The index of agricultural import unit values has been declining over the last four quarters as coffee prices--the prime mover of the index--declined. Among import commodities, the second quarter coffee import unit value was 30 percent lower than a year earlier as foreign supplies improved, and U.S. users, reacting to the high prices of a year ago, cut back on consumption and imports.

Second quarter cocoa bean import unit values continued downward from the peak reached in the fourth quarter of 1977. However, they were still 6 percent higher than they were a year ago as effects of the 1977/78 short crop in African producing countries remained.

The import unit value of raw sugar strengthened in the second quarter to a level 5 percent higher than the year-earlier quarter, largely reflecting added transportation costs. London Daily Price quotations on raw cane sugar in Caribbean ports averaged lower in the second quarter than a year earlier, but transportation costs from Caribbean ports to New York put the New York spot price at a level higher than it was a year ago.

Import unit values of products in the livestock complex are reflecting the recent price strength that has affected domestic U.S. beef and pork prices because of tight supplies.

TABLE 24 --UNIT VALUES OF 33 LEADING U.S. AGRICULTURAL TRADE COMMODITIES, QUARTER ENDING JUNE 1978 1/

COMMODITY	UNIT	UNIT VALUE					
		QUARTER ENDING			QUARTER ENDING		
		JUNE			JUNE		
		1978	1977	1978	MARCH	JUNE	1978
				1977	1978	MARCH	1978
		DOLLARS	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	PERCENT	
EXPORT COMMODITIES:							
WHEAT.....	MT.	125.122	117.028	106.9	118.691	105.4	
WHEAT FLOUR.....	DO.	193.491	183.000	105.7	181.311	106.7	
CORN.....	DO.	109.582	107.817	101.6	103.255	106.1	
CORN BY-PRODUCTS, FEED	DO.	130.461	98.949	131.8	130.883	99.7	
GRAIN SORGHUM.....	DO.	101.477	102.054	99.4	96.284	105.4	
SOYBEANS.....	DO.	266.807	344.196	77.5	230.714	115.6	
SOYBEAN MEAL.....	DO.	210.275	259.252	81.1	206.187	102.0	
SOYBEAN OIL.....	KG.	0.644	0.640	100.6	0.577	111.6	
COTTON, RAW.....	KG.	1.295	1.629	79.5	1.349	96.0	
TOBACCO, FLUE-CURED.....	KG.	4.464	4.041	110.5	4.881	91.5	
RICE, MILLED.....	KG.	0.440	0.340	129.4	0.411	107.1	
TALLOW, INEDIBLE.....	KG.	0.429	0.425	100.9	0.399	107.5	
HIDES CATTLE, WHOLE.....	NO.	23.877	21.954	108.8	22.224	107.4	
NONFAT DRY MILK.....	KG.	1.107	1.477	74.9	1.234	89.7	
AVG., I.E., INDEX NO.				90.3		104.7	
IMPORT COMMODITIES:							
COFFEE, GREEN.....	KG.	3.565	5.057	70.5	3.957	90.1	
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET.....	M.T.	225.906	215.195	105.0	209.464	107.8	
CATTLE, CATTLE.....	NO.	158.647	136.658	116.1	176.109	90.1	
BEEF, VEAL, FR, CHIL, OR FR	KG.	1.678	1.324	126.7	1.349	124.4	
HAMS, CANNED.....	DO.	3.569	3.161	112.9	3.615	98.7	
RUBBER, CRUDE, NATURAL.....	DO.	0.843	0.792	106.4	0.852	98.9	
COCOA BEANS.....	DO.	2.955	2.785	106.1	3.334	88.6	
BANANAS.....	KG.	0.155	0.143	108.4	0.144	107.6	
WINE.....	LITER	1.608	1.376	116.9	1.464	109.8	
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED.....	KG.	2.464	2.135	115.4	2.468	99.8	
TOMATOES.....	KG.	0.400	0.590	67.8	0.448	89.3	
WOOL, EX. FREE IN BOND.....	KG.	2.889	2.768	104.4	3.034	95.2	
CHEESE, SWISS.....	DO.	2.632	2.483	106.0	2.617	100.6	
PALM OIL.....	DO.	0.441	0.499	88.4	0.402	109.7	
COCONUT OIL.....	DO.	0.551	0.595	92.6	0.459	120.0	
MUSHROOMS, CANNED.....	DO.	2.457	2.479	99.1	2.301	106.8	
PINEAPPLES, CANNED.....	DO.	0.486	0.479	101.5	0.505	96.2	
CASHEW NUTS.....	DO.	2.809	2.878	97.6	3.107	90.4	
TEA.....	DO.	1.691	1.952	86.6	1.578	107.2	
AVG., I.E., INDEX NO.				88.3		100.5	
TERMS OF TRADE (EXPORT INDEX DIVIDED BY IMPORT INDEX).....							
				102.3		104.2	

1/ UNIT VALUES WERE COMPUTED FROM THE VALUE AND QUANTITY FIGURES PUBLISHED IN FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL TRADE OF THE UNITED STATES.

Explanatory Note

U.S. foreign agricultural trade statistics in this report include official U.S. data based on compilations of the Bureau of the Census. Agricultural commodities consist of (1) nonmarine food products and (2) other products of agriculture which have not passed through complex processes of manufacture such as raw hides and skins, fats and oils, and wine. Such manufactured products as textiles, leather, boots and shoes, cigarettes, naval stores, forestry products, and distilled alcoholic beverages are not considered agricultural.

The trade statistics exclude shipments between the 50 States and Puerto Rico, between the 50 States and the island possessions, between Puerto Rico and the island possessions, among the island possessions, and intransit through the United States from one foreign country to another when documented as such through U.S. Customs.

EXPORTS: The export statistics also exclude shipments to the U.S. armed forces and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use and supplies for vessels and aircraft engaged in foreign trade. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are not compiled by commodity and are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in non-agricultural and overall export totals in this report. The agricultural export statistics include shipments under P.L. 83-480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act), and related laws; under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development); and involving Government payments to exporters through 1974. USDA payments are excluded from the export value. Separate statistics on Government Program exports are compiled by USDA from data obtained from operating agencies.

The export value, the value at the port of exportation, is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the port. The country of destination is the country of ultimate destination or where the commodities are to be consumed, further processed, or manufactured. When the shipper does not know the ultimate destination, the shipments are credited to the last country known to him at the time of shipment from the United States. Shipments of certain U.S. grain from Great Lakes ports to Canadian ports are designated as exports to "unidentified countries." Except for Canada, export shipments valued at \$251-\$999 are included on the basis of sampling estimates; shipments to Canada valued at \$251-\$1,999 are sampled.

IMPORTS: Imports for consumption are a combination of entries for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouses for consumption. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are estimated on the basis of a 1-percent sample and are not compiled by commodity. They are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in nonagricultural and overall import totals in this report.

The import value, defined generally as the market value in the foreign country, excludes import duties, ocean freight, and marine insurance. The country of origin is defined as the country where the commodities were grown or processed. When the country of origin is not known, the imports are credited to the country of shipment.

Imports similar to agricultural commodities produced commercially in the United States and others that are interchangeable in use to any significant extent with such U.S. commodities are supplementary or partly competitive. All other commodities are complementary or noncompetitive.

Further explanatory material on foreign trade statistics and compilation procedures of the Bureau of the Census is contained in the publications of that agency.

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